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TOWN OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR 1899.

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes.

GEORGE G. WITHINGTON.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor.

GEORGE COPELAND,	Term expires 1901
HENRY W. HEATH,	" " 1900
EVERETT E. POOL,	" " 1902

School Committee.

LINCOLN S. DRAKE,	Term expires 1900
ROBERT T. CONROY,	" " 1901
HEMAN HOWARD,	" " 1902

Road Commissioners.

JOHN O. DEAN,	Term expires 1900
THOMAS F. LADD,	" " 1901
JOHN J. McCARTHY,	" " 1902

Board of Health.

JOHN J. McCARTHY,	Term expires 1900
JOHN McFARLAND,	" " 1901
GEORGE C. BELCHER,	" " 1902

Constables.

JAMES O'NEIL,	SAMUEL M. RENNIE,
GEORGE H. SWEET,	A. GRANVILLE PRATT,
GEORGE F. RICE,	THOMAS DOWNEY.

Fence Viewers.

EDWARD R. HAYWARD,	EDWARD WELCH,
DENNIS S. BUCK.	

Measurers of Wood and Bark.

WILLARD K. GOWARD,	HENRY D. BUCK,
GEORGE H. SWEET,	ADAM BIRNIE.

Surveyors of Plank and Timber.

THOMAS R. MARSHALL,	HENRY D. BUCK,
ROBERT BIRNIE,	GEORGE H. SWEET.

Auditors.

GEORGE W. KENNEDY,	WILLIAM J. TWOHIG.
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Sealer of Weights and Measures.

CHARLES D. REED.

REPORT OF THE ASSESSORS.

The following report of the financial condition of the town is respectfully submitted :—

VALUATION AS ASSESSED MAY 1, 1899.

Value of real estate,	\$1,945,212
“ “ personal estate,	2,738,518
Total valuation of assessed estate,	\$4,683,730
Increase of personal estate,	\$38,886
“ “ real estate,	13,340
Total increase,	\$52,226

APPROPRIATIONS.

Support of poor,	\$7,000 00
Incidentals,	2,000 00
Discount on taxes,	2,800 00
Town officers' bills,	2,200 00
Repairs of roads and bridges,	6,000 00
Road tools,	400 00
Clearing roads of snow,	800 00
Teachers' salaries,	14,300 00
Fuel for schools,	1,100 00
Care of schoolhouses,	1,650 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<i>\$38,250 00</i>

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$38,250 00
School supplies and sundries,	1,000 00
School text books,	800 00
Schoolhouse repairs,	1,000 00
Schoolhouse furniture,	400 00
Conveyance of pupils,	1,000 00
Memorial Day,	150 00
Suppressing illegal sale of intoxicating liquor,	1,200 00
Water fountain, North Easton,	500 00
Brockton Fire department,	100 00
Evening school,	300 00
	\$44,700 00

ASSESSMENTS.

Discount on taxes,	\$2,800 00
Repairs of roads and bridges,	6,000 00
Road tools,	400 00
Clearing roads of snow,	800 00
Teachers salaries,	14,300 00
Fuel for schools,	1,100 00
Care of schoolhouses,	1,650 00
School supplies and sundries,	1,000 00
School text books,	800 00
Schoolhouse repairs,	1,000 00
Schoolhouse furniture,	400 00
Evening school,	300 00
Conveyance of pupils,	1,000 00
Suppressing illegal sale of intoxicating liquor,	1,200 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$32,750 00

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$32,750 00
Water fountain, North Easton,	500 00
Memorial Day,	150 00
State tax,	2,730 00
County tax,	8,200 66
Overlaying,	466 58
	\$44,797 24

Rate of tax, \$9.00 per \$1,000.

Poll tax, \$2.00.

Number of polls, 1,321.

“ “ dwellings, 993.

“ “ acres of land, 16,448.

“ “ horses, 538.

“ “ cows, 589.

“ “ swine, 41.

“ “ sheep, 95,

“ “ neat cattle other than cows, 100.

“ “ residents assessed on property, 910.

“ “ non “ “ “ “ 229.

“ “ persons “ “ “ 1139.

“ “ “ “ for poll tax only, 704.

GEORGE COPELAND,

HENRY W. HEATH,

EVERETT E. POOL,

Assessors of Easton.

REPORT OF THE OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

INVENTORY AT ALMSHOUSE, DEC. 31, 1899.

14 tons English hay,	\$280 00
6 tons meadow hay,	60 00
2 tons corn fodder,	20 00
2 horses,	250 00
14 cows,	630 00
1 bull,	25 00
2 yearlings,	20 00
1 calf,	8 00
6 swine,	45 00
90 fowls,	45 00
20 doves,	2 00
Grain,	16 12
280 baskets corn,	93 00
75 bushels potatoes,	60 00
70 bushels turnips,	35 00
1 ½ bushels beans,	3 38
945 gallons vinegar,	94 50
75 flour barrels,	7 50
25 cider barrels,	12 50
15 tons coal,	86 25
500 lbs salt pork,	30 00
2 barrels cider,	10 00

Amount carried forward,

\$1,833 25

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,833 25
1 mowing machine,	35 00
1 hay tedder,	30 00
1 horse rake,	16 00
1 horse power,	35 00
1 circular saw and frame,	30 00
2 express wagons,	70 00
1 open buggy,	55 00
1 farm wagon,	30 00
1 farm wagon,	40 00
1 horse cart,	35 00
1 horse cart,	40 00
1 wood reach,	25 00
1 hay rack,	13 50
1 pung,	5 00
6 ploughs,	30 00
1 cultivator,	5 00
1 weeder,	12 00
4 harrows,	25 00
1 corn sheller,	5 00
Bob sleds,	12 00
1 horse fork,	9 00
1 wheel hoe,	1 50
1 lawn mower,	3 00
1 drag,	3 00
1 grindstone,	3 00
2 carriage jacks,	2 00
1 wheelbarrow,	2 00
2 ox yokes,	10 00
1 iron scraper,	5 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$2,420 25

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$2,420 25
1 seed sower,	7 50
1 bench vise,	2 50
1 saw clamp,	95
2 saw sets,	1 00
Harnesses, blankets, etc..	45 85
2 step ladders,	2 00
7 long ladders,	20 00
12 fire grenades,	10 00
3 fire extinguishers,	37 50
12 rubber buckets,	3 00
2 pair ice tongs,	1 75
1 ice chisel,	50
1 ice saw,	3 00
Scales, balances and steelyards,	6 00
Lumber,	20 00
200 lbs. fertilizer,	2 80
Other farming tools,	64 80
Beds and bedding,	278 65
Household furniture,	268 80
Table linen and towels,	8 95
Wooden ware,	44 80
Tin ware,	31 89
Iron ware,	14 80
Stone ware,	6 50
Crockery and glass ware,	48 29
Knives, forks and spoons,	12 90
Groceries,	124 36
Steam heater,	250 00
	\$3,739 34

RECEIPTS AT ALMSHOUSE.

For board,	\$124 30
“ board of horses,	5 00
“ wood sold,	194 05
“ stock sold,	155 70
“ milk sold,	1,042 25
“ vegetables sold,	43 63
“ eggs sold,	33 01
“ hay sold,	35 43
“ labor,	38 50
“ box logs sold,	167 38
“ lumber sold,	2 62
“ pasturing,	20 00
“ fowls sold,	26 71
“ vinegar sold,	6 30
“ keeping prisoners,	2 30
“ sundries,	17 70
	\$1,914 58
Hay, stock, etc. on hand Dec. 31, 1899,	3,739 34
	\$5,653 92

EXPENDITURES AT ALMSHOUSE.

For flour,	\$62 23
“ crackers,	40 36
“ farming tools,	78 52
“ boots and shoes,	33 85
“ meat,	162 49
“ salt,	6 05
“ grain,	581 55
“ coal,	104 81
“ labor,	422 18
“ oil,	22 23
“ fish,	42 63
“ seed,	9 04
“ stock,	217 45
“ fertilizer,	33 85
“ clothing and bedding,	48 53
“ groceries,	297 99
“ household utensils,	44 56
“ soap,	13 39
“ blacksmithing,	33 25
“ medicine,	36 01
“ tobacco,	19 70
“ repairs,	24 51
“ ice,	5 62
“ painting,	80 00
“ burial expenses,	26 00
“ sundries,	27 61
“ wood on stump,	135 00
“ warden's salary,	500 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$3,109 41

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$3,109 41
Hay, stock, etc., on hand Dec. 31, 1898,	3,900 62
	\$7,010 03
 Expenditures at Almshouse,	 \$7,010 03
Receipts at Almshouse,	5,653 92
Balance against Almshouse,	\$1,356 11
Paid E. E. Kelley for repairs from April 27th,	
1895 to Aug. 30th, 1898,	56 56
	\$1,412 67

INMATES OF ALMSHOUSE.

Name.	Age.	Weeks in Almshouse.
C. F. Williams,	66 years	52
Elsie French,	54 "	52
Charles M. Randall,	67 "	52
Ada M. Randall,	46 "	52
Willard H. Godfrey,	54 "	52
Constantine Kerley,	70 "	52
Lizzie B. Foley,	74 "	52
John Foley,	36 "	2
William H. French,	23 "	26
Ann Kerley,	70 "	20 $\frac{1}{7}$
James P. Kerley,	33 "	20 $\frac{1}{7}$
James D. Walker,	61 "	9 $\frac{3}{7}$
Whole number for the year,		12
Males,		8
Females,		4
Average number for the year,		8 $\frac{1}{2}$
Discharged,		1
Died,		1
Now in Almshouse,		10
Average cost per week,		\$3 07
Number of tramps,		163
Estimated cost for tramps,		\$32 60

EXPENSES OF POOR OUTSIDE ALMSHOUSE.

Paid Taunton Insane Hospital,			
For John W. Marshall,		\$169 46	
“ Albert W. Phillips,		169 46	
“ Carrie Jeppson,		169 46	
“ Mary Ann Randall,		75 40	
“ Frank E. Bailey,		169 46	
“ Mary A. Connelly,		47 91	
“ Gardner A. Allen,		169 46	
“ Nettie B. Bailey,		117 92	
“ John P. Holmes,		64 07	
“ Charles E. Miller,		128 23	
			\$1,280 83
Paid Medfield Insane Hospital,			
For John P. O'Connell,			146 00
Paid Westboro Insane Hospital,			
For Mary E. Ripley,			169 46
Paid Worcester Insane Asylum,			
For Michael Coughlin,			169 46
Paid Commonwealth State Farm,			
For Matthew H. Campion,	1898,	36 80	
“ “ “ “	1899,	109 20	
			146 00
For Lawrence Randall,			
Paid Swift Bros.,		85 08	
“ J. C. Goward,		19 75	
“ A. F. Gooch,		36 72	
“ Geo. G. Withington & Co.,		7 80	
“ E. I. Monroe,		5 97	
			155 32
Amount carried forward,			\$2,067 07

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$2,067 07
For Otis A. Snow,		
Paid Henry W. Heath,	\$12 95	
" Geo. L. Kimball,	98 00	
		110 95
For Frank Fountain,		
Paid Ann M. Richmond,		36 00
For John Sloane,		
Paid John O. Dean & Co.,	32 75	
" Coleman & Allen,	60 00	
		92 75
For Fred Fowler's family,		
Paid F. S. Snow & Co.,		18 00
For Bridget O. Connell,		
Paid J. C. Goward,	10 00	
" J. F. Bradley,	48 00	
		58 00
For Mrs. Ann Downey and family,		
Paid J. C. Goward,	12 75	
" D. J. Dineen & Co.,	108 75	
" F. E. Tilden, M. D.,	1 00	
		122 50
For Mrs. Michael Cunningham,		
Paid J. M. Howard & Son,	120 00	
" John O. Dean & Co.,	14 50	
		134 50
For Mrs. D. J. Buckley and family,		
Paid Munroe F. Williams,	96 00	
" J. C. Goward,	19 25	
		115 25
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$2,755 02

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$2,755 02
For Mrs. John Kerley and son,		
Paid Hutchinson & Kimball,	\$12 70	
“ W. O. Drake,	30 00	
“ City of Brockton,	13 20	
		55 90
For Mrs. Margaret Harrigan,		
Paid A. B. Sladen,	14 55	
“ Charles Carr,	3 00	
		17 55
For Mrs. Ellen Welch		
Paid Oliver Ames & Sons Corp.,	48 00	
“ J. C. Goward,	6 50	
“ Geo. G. Withington & Co.,	2 00	
		56 50
For Allen Brothers,		
Paid Swift Bros.,		78 00
For Mrs. James McGinty,		
Paid H. Y. Mitchell,		52 00
For Andrew J. Nillson's family,		
Paid D. J. Dineen & Co.,	96 00	
“ J. C. Goward,	13 00	
“ Dennis Donohoe,	20 00	
“ Margaret W. Staples,	40 00	
“ Town Farm,	3 25	
		172 25
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$3,187 22

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$3,187 22
For August Sundling's family,		
Paid J. C. Goward,	\$13 00	
" J. F. Bradley,	120 00	
" Geo. H. Wells,	5 25	
" Geo. G. Hayes,	48 00	
" F. E. Tilden, M. D.,	1 25	
		187 50
For Mrs. William F. Randall and family,		
Paid H. Y. Mitchell,	104 00	
" John O. Dean & Co.,	10 38	
" A. W. Heath,	26 00	
" F. E. Tilden, M. D.,	50	
" Mrs. Oliver Hanson,	3 05	
		143 93
For David A. Phillips and wife,		
Paid Frank S. Howard,	13 00	
" William E. Washburn,	5 00	
" Estate of Lewis F. Phillips,	12 00	
" Geo. G. Withington & Co.,	3 45	
		33 45
For James Moran, Tramp,		
Paid Transportation to Tewksbury,		6 25
For Luther Bird,		
Paid Charles Carr,	21 60	
" Carr Brothers,	24 38	
		45 98
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$3,604 33

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$3,604 33
For Alfred Lundgren's family,		
Paid Anderson & Co.,	\$24 00	
" J. C. Goward,	10 50	
" D. J. Dineen & Co.,	48 00	
" Town Farm,	7 25	
" F. E. Tilden, M. D.,	1 00	
		90 75
For Edward L. Allen,		
Paid H. Y. Mitchell,	6 00	
" Lucius Howard,	2 00	
		8 00
For Norman E. Ellison's family,		
Paid City of Brockton,	6 66	
" Nelson C. Norris,	36 00	
" J. W. Shaw & Co.,	10 50	
" Elmer C. Packard,	7 25	
		60 41
For Henry D. James and family,		
Paid Elmer C. Packard,	13 15	
" J. W. Shaw & Co.,	52 00	
		65 15
For John P. Holmes' family,		
" Anderson & Co.,	8 00	
" Carr Brothers,	24 08	
" D. J. Dineen & Co.,	64 45	
" Town Farm,	4 00	
" F. E. Tilden, M. D.,	1 00	
" A. F. Gooch,	12 66	
" J. C. Goward,	6 25	
		120 44
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$3,949 08

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$3,949 08
For Asa T. Newcomb,		
Paid from Town Treasury,		48 00
For John J. Clonan's family,		
Paid J. C. Goward,	\$23 00	
" Oliver Ames & Sons Corp.,	180 00	
" Charles Carr,	18 00	
" Carr Brothers,	18 00	
" Town Farm,	13 00	
" F. E. Tilden, M. D.,	1 25	
" G. G. Withington & Co.,	1 95	
		255 20
For Andrew Hagland's family,		
Paid Anderson & Co.,	117 15	
" J. C. Goward,	13 00	
" Town Farm,	3 25	
" D. J. Dineen & Co.,	99 75	
" F. E. Tilden, M. D.,	1 25	
" G. G. Withington & Co.,	1 00	
		235 40
For Benjamin Dillard and wife,		
Paid J. M. Howard & Son,	28 00	
" John O. Dean & Co.,	6 25	
" George H. Sweet,	11 00	
" from Town Treasury,	25 00	
		70 25
For Michael Kelliher's family,		
Paid A. B. Sladen,	88 00	
" J. C. Goward,	6 25	
		94 25
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$4,652 18

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$4,652 18
For Mrs. Timothy Healey,		
Paid D. J. Dineen & Co.,	\$48 00	
“ J. C. Goward,	6 50	
		54 50
For Mrs. Mary A. Campion,		
Paid J. C. Goward,	3 38	
“ A. B. Sladen,	5 00	
		8 38
For Frank W. Peck and family,		
Paid East Bridgewater,		25 76
For Alfred Lincoln and family,		
Paid Mansfield,		129 08
For Abby Ripley,		
Paid Plymouth,		48 00
For James D. Walker,		
Paid City of New Bedford,		50 03
For Warren F. Smith,		
Paid City of Boston,		27 18
For Mrs. Mary Manning and family,		
Paid City of Fall River,		24 00
For Mrs. Mary Cunningham and family,		
Paid City of Fall River,		42 00
For Elizabeth and Ann Dollard,		
Paid City of Brockton,		96 73
For E. W. Chamberlain and family,		
Paid City of Brockton,		3 33
For Burty Chamberlain,		
Paid City of Taunton,		1 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$5,162 17

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$5,162 17
For N. B. Lincoln,	
Paid Stoughton,	85 75
For James E. Ramsdell,	
Paid Lakeville,	59 95
For Mrs. Melinda Lincoln,	
Paid Stoughton,	62 88
For Mrs. Lelia F. Lothrop,	
Paid Stoughton,	12 50
For Walter H. Peck and family,	
Paid Bridgewater,	10 00
For John G. Anderson,	
Paid City of Boston,	124 00
For Arthur Kerley and family,	
Paid City of Lynn,	12 25
For Joseph Lee,	
Paid City of Boston,	12 00
For John McGinty,	
Paid City of Boston,	16 00
For Sarah Fitzpatrick and family,	
Paid City of Brockton,	5 00
For Paul Richardson and family,	
Paid Franklin,	71 14

POOR OF OTHER TOWNS AND STATE.

For Mrs. Charles McGrath, Mansfield,	
Paid W. O. Faxon, M. D.,	\$10 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$5,643 64

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$5,643 64
For Fred L. Williamson, Marshfield,		
Paid Howard & Caldwell,	\$13 00	
“ H. Y. Mitchell,	11 14	
“ Geo. L. Keith,	1 50	
“ Frank E. Tilden, M. D.,	5 00	
		30 64
For Sidney W. Parker and family, Brockton,		
Paid A. B. Sladen,		12 00
For Daniel W. Washburn, Norton,		
Paid H. Y. Mitchell,		3 00
For Marcus E. Jones and family, Lancaster,		
Paid Swift Bros.,	\$40 30	
“ Town of Easton,	36 00	
		76 30
For George Hedderig and family, State,		
Paid George L. Kimball,		27 00
For Mrs. Aroline Britton, Plympton,		
Paid J. M. Howard & Son,	52 00	
“ F. E. Tilden, M. D.,	11 00	
		63 00
For Mrs. Effie J. Dyer and family, New Bedford,		
Paid A. B. Sladen,	\$20 00	
“ J. C. Goward,	7 00	
		27 00
For Emeline B. Pool, Foxboro,		
Paid George H. Sweet,		50 60
For Commonwealth,		
Paid Soldiers Burial,		35 00
		\$5,968 18

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

Paid Howard W. Phillips, for relief,	\$72 00	
“ Cyrus A. Freeman's family, for relief,	96 00	
“ William D. Higgins' family, for relief,	108 45	
“ Mrs. Charles F. Lothrop, for relief,	41 50	
		\$317 95

MILITARY AID.

Paid Alfred Lincoln,	\$96 00
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Appropriation for poor,	\$7,000 00	
Received and due from other towns and State,	382 54	
Received from rent of Asa T. New- comb land,	20 00	
Received from guardian of Charles E. Miller,	37 16	
		\$7,439 70
Paid for poor outside Almshouse,	\$5,968 18	
“ Balance against Almshouse,	1,356 11	
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$7,324 29

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$7,324 29
Paid E. E. Kelley, repairs for Alms- house, April 27, 1895, to August 30, 1898,	\$56 56
“ Medical attendance to poor,	150 00
“ Soldiers’ relief,	317 95
“ Military Aid,	96 00
	———— \$7,944 80

GEORGE COPELAND,
HENRY W. HEATH,
EVERETT E. POOL,

Overseers of the Poor.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

TOWN OFFICERS' BILLS.

GEORGE COPELAND,

Services as selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,	\$400 00	
Conveyance,	39 75	
Cash expenses,	9 63	
		\$449 38

HENRY W. HEATH,

Services as selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,	330 50	
Conveyance,	49 25	
Cash expenses,	13 10	
		392 85

EVERETT E. POOL,

Services as selectman, assessor, and overseer of the poor,	396 00	
Conveyance,	41 90	
Cash expenses,	20 96	
		458 86

GEORGE G. WITHINGTON,

Services as town clerk, treasurer and registrar of voters,	350 00
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A. MORTON HAYWARD,

Services as registrar of voters,	50 00
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JULIUS D. ATWOOD,

Services as registrar of voters,	50 00
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<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$1,701 09
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<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,	09
GEORGE A. LACKEY,		
Services as registrar of voters,		50 00
LINCOLN S. DRAKE,		
Services as school committee,		33
HEMAN HOWARD,		
Services as school committee,		41 67
ROBERT T. CONROY,		
Services as school committee,		50 00
JOHN O. DEAN,		
Services and expenses as road commissioner,		75 00
JOHN J MCCARTHY,		
Services and expenses as road commissioner,		75 00
THOMAS F. LADD,		
Services and expenses as road commissioner,		25 00
THOMAS DOWNEY,		
Services as constable,		12 50
SAMUEL M. RENNIE,		
Services as constable,		33 50
A. GRANVILLE PRATT,		
Services as constable,		6 00
JAMES O'NEIL,		
Services as constable,		00
WILLIAM J. TWOHIG,		
Services as auditor,		10 00
GEORGE W. KENNEDY,		
Services as auditor,		10 00
	\$2,179	09

ON ACCOUNT OF SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

LOCKUP, NORTH EASTON,

Paid George H. DeWitt, balance due on contract,		\$1,095 25
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Appropriations,	\$3,000 00	
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Paid for land,	\$900 00	
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“ George H. DeWitt, for building, grading and cells as per contract,	2,095 25	2,995 25
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Unexpended,		\$4 75
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MEMORIAL DAY,

Paid,		150 00
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CITY OF BROCKTON,

Paid Fire Department,		100 00
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WATER FOUNTAIN, NORTH EASTON,

Paid Adams Granite Co., for stone,	\$40 00	
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“ John J. McCarthy, freight on stone,		90
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“ E. E. Kelley, pipe and labor,	16 26	
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“ Horace W. Jones, labor,	4 00	
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“ A. B. Anderson, “	7 05	
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		\$68 21
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Appropriation, \$500.		
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ON ACCOUNT OF LIQUOR CASES.

Balance of appropriation on hand		
January 1st, 1899,	\$138 80	
Appropriation 1899,	1,200 00	
		\$1,338 80
Paid Edward F. Knight, police services,	\$400 00	
" Thomas Downey, police services,	408 25	
" Henry J. Fuller, legal services,	65 00	
		873 25
Unexpended,		\$465 55

ON ACCOUNT OF INCIDENTALS.

TOWN HALL,		
Paid John H. Utton, janitor,	\$10 00	
" George H. DeWitt, labor and stock,	8 92	
" Frank C. Pratt, wood,	10 50	
		\$29 42
TOWN WELLS,		
Paid Joseph W. Baldwin, repairs,	\$4 05	
" Wales Brothers, repairs,	11 00	
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$29 42

Amount brought forward, \$29 42

Paid F. H. White & Co., re-		
pairs,	\$1 25	
“ Nils P. Pierson, repairs,	4 33	
“ Lucien Bonney, “	1 25	
“ Daniel L. Randall, lumber,	1 62	
“ George Copeland, repairs,	2 50	
“ E. E. Kelley, repairs,	8 50	
		\$34 50

FURNISHINGS FOR LOCKUP, NORTH EASTON,

Paid George H. DeWitt for		
bunks, soil buckets,		
railing, etc.,	\$117 93	
“ E. E. Kelley, furnace and		
piping,	75 00	
“ A. B. Sladen, mattresses		
and blankets,	20 03	
“ Howard, Clark & Co.,		
chairs and table,	8 00	
“ H. W. Robinson Carpet		
Co., curtains,	5 40	
“ Horace W. Jones, work		
on water pipe,	1 00	
		\$227 36

EXPENSES OF LOCKUP, NORTH EASTON,

Paid James O'Neil, keeper,	\$40 00	
“ J. C. Goward, coal,	33 14	
“ N. E. Water Works,		
water rates,	4 50	
“ James F. Bradley, oil,	1 17	
		\$78 81

Amount carried forward, \$370 09

Amonnt brought forward,

\$370 09

PRINTING AND STATIONERY,

Paid Easton Bulletin, town re-
ports,

\$185 00

“ Easton Bulletin, assessors’
lists,

20 50

“ Easton Bulletin, letter
heads,

4 00

“ Easton Bulletin, adver-
tising,

19 67

“ Alfred Mudge & Son, tax
bills,

16 00

“ Alfred Mudge & Son,
notices,

2 25

“ Alfred Mudge & Son, pos-
tals,

16 50

“ Alfred Mudge & Son, vot-
ing lists,

33 00

“ Alfred Mudge & Son,
check lists,

17 00

“ L. B. Crockett P. M.
envelopes,

10 60

“ Adams, Cushing & Foster,
ink,

80

“ Brockton Book Binding,
record book,

10 50

“ Henry Shaw, pauper book,

2 00

“ Tax record book,

3 00

\$330 82

Amount carried forward,

\$700 91

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$700 91
FOREST FIRES,		
Paid W. E. Drake, services and expenses,	\$5 75	
“ Henry M. Bird, services and expenses,	3 00	
“ A. B. Sladen, services and expenses,	8 46	
“ H. F. Thayer, services and expenses,	22 65	
“ E. R. Hayward, services and expenses,	12 60	
“ F. B. Littlefield, services and expenses,	8 00	
		\$60 46
OFFICE EXPENSES OF TOWN CLERK, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR.		
Cash and office expenses,	\$62 55	
Conveyance,	13 71	
Administering oaths,	8 00	
Physicians and midwives for birth returns,	18 25	
Undertakers for death returns,	18 25	
Paying State aid,	18 69	
Collecting District Tax,	74 23	
		213 68
INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS.		
Paid E. R. Hayward,		150 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>		\$1,125 05

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,125 05
BOARD OF HEALTH,	
Paid John J. McCarthy,	
services and expenses 1896 to	
1899,	\$28 65
" John McFarland,	
services and expenses 1897	
and 1898,	31 10
	59 75
Telephone messages,	1 56
L. B. Crockett, moderator, at town	
meeting,	10 00
C. S. Packard, distributing town	
reports,	2 00
H. W. Heath, distributing town	
reports,	3 00
N. Y. & B. Despt. Ex. Co.,	
expressage,	5 50
Insurance premiums,	91 38
Town Farm, keeping prisoners,	5 00
George H. Drake, damage to horse,	25 00
Extra police July 3rd and 4th,	30 00
Union Truant School, for	
James McKenna,	26 28
John J. McCarthy, coal for lockup,	
(1895,)	3 31
E. E. Kelley, stove and pipe for	
lockup, (1894,)	4 10
D. C. Lillie, taking school census.	20 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$1,411 93

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,411 93
Samuel M. Rennie, truant officer,	75 00
A. Granville Pratt, truant officer,	6 00
Election officers,	84 00
F. H. White & Co., repairing ballot box,	1 00
Lewis H. Smith, preparing booths for election,	2 00
Henry J. Fuller, legal services,	75 30
Charles D. Reed, sealer of weights and measures,	25 00
Repairs to Evans place,	1 84
	\$1,682 07

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We recommend to appropriate :

Support of poor,	\$8,000 00
Roads and bridges,	5,000 00
Cleaning roads of snow,	800 00
Town officers' bills,	2,500 00
Incidentals,	2,000 00
Discount on taxes,	2,800 00
For schools etc., see School committee's report.	

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TRUSTEES' REPORT OF THE HIRAM P. AND MARY
L. DRAKE SPECIAL FUND.

DR.

To deposit in North Easton Savings Bank, of balance on hand Jan'y 1st 1899,	\$584 42
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$584 42

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$584 42
Accrued interest on same to		
Dec. 31st, 1899,	\$23 60	
Balance on hand Dec. 31st, 1899,	————	\$608 02

TRUSTEES' REPORT OF THE HIRAM P. AND MARY
L. DRAKE GENERAL FUND.

DR.

To 10 Town of Attleboro Water		
Bonds,	\$10,000 00	
Accrued interest on same,	400 00	
Deposit in No. Easton Savings		
Bank,	716 76	
Accrued interest on same,	28 94	
	————	\$11,145 70

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Paid Security Safe Deposit for rent		
of safe,	\$19 00	
“ Willis B. Drew, on account of		
labor on Church St. Cemetery,	350 00	
“ Charles S. Leonard, labor,	3 00	
“ H. Y. Mitchell, grass seed,	12 63	
“ H. W. Heath, fertilizer,	24 37	
10 Town of Attleboro Water Bonds,	10,900 00	
Deposit in No. Easton Savings Bank,	745 70	
	————	\$11,145 70

GEORGE COPELAND,
HENRY W. HEATH,
EVERETT E. POOL,

Selectmen of Easton.

LIST OF JURORS

AS REVISED BY THE SELECTMEN.

Andrew P. Anderson, Trader.	Edwin T. Goward, Farmer.
Horace H. Alger, Butcher.	Chester L. Hayward, Civil Engineer.
Joseph W. Baldwin, Carpenter.	Lucius Howard, Farmer.
George H. Carr, Heelmaker.	Parsons O. Hardy, Painter.
Eustace K. Clapp, Jr., Shoemaker.	Charles Hagg, Shovelmaker.
Lorenzo B. Crockett, Engineer.	Augustus Hopkins, Shoemaker.
Thomas Conroy, Shovelmaker.	James H. Hurst, Clerk.
Willis B. Drew, Heel Manufacturer.	Heman Howard, Civil Engineer.
John J. Danahy, Shoemaker.	Edward C. Jenney, Farmer.
Abbott L. Drake, Foundryman.	Frank P. Keith, Clerk.
Charles K. Dailey, Farmer.	Thomas B. Keith, Farmer.
P. William Fecto, Retired.	August Ledin, Trader.
Geo. W. Ghen, Foundryman.	Daniel J. Lyons, Farmer.
George E. Geddes, Melter.	John N. Lufkin, Machinist.

Isaac L. Miller,	Samuel S. Ryder,
Carpenter.	Fish Dealer.
Thomas R. Marshall,	Dennis H. Sweeney,
Farmer.	Shoemaker.
Francis F. Maliff,	Howard L. Swift,
Poultry Dealer.	Trader.
Edward F. Manning,	Lewis H. Smith,
Foundryman.	Jeweler.
John McFarland,	Frank Wills,
Florist.	Foundryman.
Joseph L. Newcomb,	George H. Wells,
Farmer.	Clerk.
John J. O'Connor,	William M. Wills,
Trader.	Foundryman.
Patrick O'Connor,	Walter Welsh,
Shovelmaker.	Foundryman.
Everett E. Pool,	Harris Y. Wilson,
Clerk.	Shoemaker.
Frederick Packard,	J. Warren Willis,
Shoemaker.	Foundryman.
E. William Randall,	
Retired.	

LIST OF JURORS DRAWN IN 1899.

Mashall D. J. Buck,	Andrew B. Anderson,
John E. Blake,	George T. Drake,
Jeremiah A. Lyons,	John A. Eak,
Allen O. Wade,	George G. Hayes.

TOWN WARRANT.

BRISTOL, SS.

To either of the Constables in the town of Easton in the County of Bristol.

GREETING :

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts you are directed to notify the inhabitants of the town of Easton, qualified to vote in elections and town affairs, to meet in the Town Hall in said Easton, on Monday the fifth day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to act on the following articles :—

ART. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

ART. 2. To see if the town will accept the reports of the Selectmen, Assessors, Overseers of the Poor, Treasurer, Road Commissioners, School Committee and Superintendent of Schools.

ART. 3. To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year, and to see if the town will vote to grant licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors. The vote must be by separate ballot, and must be "Yes" or "No" in answer to the question ; Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town ?

ART. 4. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations for the same.

ART. 5. To see if the town will raise and appropriate money to pay for conveying such scholars residing outside of District No. 7, as may wish to attend the High School at North Easton.

ART. 6. To see if the town will authorize the Treasurer to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

ART. 7. To see if the town will accept the list of jurors presented by the Selectmen.

ART. 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars for Memorial Day, to be expended under the direction of Post 52, G. A. R.

ART. 9. To see what action the town will take in regard to the appeal of Charlotte A. Clark and Hannah C. Tibbetts from the award of the Road Commissioners for land taken in relocating and widening of Centre street.

ART. 10. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to sell and convey the Evans, Newcomb and Phillips property, if in their judgment they shall deem it best to do so.

The polls will open at ten o'clock A. M. and may be closed at two o'clock P. M.

To the Board of Selectmen of Easton, Mass.:

We the undersigned make the following report of service rendered since our appointment by you to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicating liquor in the Town of Easton, Mass.

May 29, 1899, raided Timothy Cotter who was convicted and fined fifty dollars.

May 30, 1899, raided John O'Hanlon, who was convicted and fined fifty dollars and three months' imprisonment, but appealed.

May 30, 1899, raided Patrick Sweeney, who was convicted and fined fifty dollars.

May 30, 1899, raided Dennis Riordan, who was convicted and fined fifty dollars.

July 20, 1899, raided Michael J. Twomey, who was convicted and fined seventy-five dollars.

Aug. 27, 1899, seized half a barrel of ale in the woods at Unionville, the owners of which fled.

Dec. 30, 1899, raided Mrs. Lizzie O'Hanlon, who was convicted in the Inferior Court and fined fifty dollars.

Jan. 8, 1900, raided Barney F. Galligan, (second raid) who was convicted in the Inferior Court and fined fifty dollars and three months' imprisonment.

The raids that resulted in no seizures we do not report.

Besides this Charles H. Shea of Harlow's Pharmacy was tried for illegal sale Oct. 17, 1899, and the case was placed on file.

We also have to report that we have broken up eight liquor selling places, not named above by constant watchfulness, that has discouraged the persons conducting them. The names

of these persons, we are ready to report to you personally, but as they have either gone out of business, or have left town, we suggest that their names be not published, although this we leave to your judgement. Four of these were at Eastondale, three at North Easton and one at the Furnace Village.

THOMAS DOWNEY,
EDWIN F. KNIGHT.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1899.

DATE	NAME OF CHILD,	SEX.	NAMES OF PARENTS.
January	5 ——— Belcher.....	M	Fred K. and Millicent W.
"	5 James Marcy Howard.....	M	James E. and Flora M.
"	10 Augusta Sophia Nystrom.....	F	John F. and Minnie F.
"	12 Henry Scrivens.....	M	Michael and Margaret.
"	21 Edith A. G. Johnson.....	F	Carl G. and Augusta A.
"	22 Helen Elizabeth Johnson.....	F	August and Sophia.
"	28 Myrtis Gertrude Hunt.....	F	Walter N. and Etta A.
"	30 Sarah Anne Brophy.....	F	John J. and Ellen A.
February	3 Gertie Wallgren.....	F	Elof and Helen.
"	10 Redmond Lyons.....	M	Cornelius and Catherine J.
"	13 Helen Mildred Nagle.....	F	Patrick and Anna.
"	17 Ralph Waldo Nason.....	M	Fred E. and Sarah F.
"	17 Charles Smith.....	M	Herbert A. and Catherine M.
"	26 Frank Reynolds.....	M	Michael F. and Mary A.
"	26 George Reynolds.....	M	
March	4 Mary Moore.....	F	Peter and Mary E.
"	6 Chester Harold Randall... ..	M	Charles H. and Lizzie.
"	6 Sarah Elizabeth Eddy.....	F	Mabel E. Eddy
"	6 Ansel Forest Rice.....	M	William H. and Stella J.
"	13 Elsie Augusta Anderson.....	F	Nills and Augusta.
"	15 Harold G. W. Morse.....	M	George and Maud E.
"	15 Ernest J. W. Johnson.....	M	Andrew and Clara H.
"	17 Ethel Septina Johnson.....	F	Borje A. and Lina.
"	19 Ellen Elizabeth Morris.....	F	James E. and Hannah
"	27 Helen Nilsson.....	F	Charles and Amelia.
"	30 Bernard Leo Beals... ..	M	Genevieve F. Beals
April	7 Oscar Howard Range.....	M	Oscar and Selma.
"	13 Agnes H. M. Benander.....	F	Andrew M. and Hulda A.
"	14 Eva Brooks Allen.....	F	Edward L. and Phoebe A.
"	17 Francis A. J. Rocheleau.....	M	Joseph and Alexina.
"	19 Winthrop Wilmarth Howard..	M	Wilmarth P. and Mary L.
"	23 Joseph Murray.....	M	Patrick and Mary.
"	27 Caroline Fessenden Kennedv..	F	Edward H. and Kate E.
"	28 Abbie S. Bundy.....	F	Frank L. and Abbie M.
"	29 Gertrude Riordan.....	F	Jeremiah F. and Catherine
May	1 Frederick Earl Grant.....	M	Frederick F. and Martha E.
"	3 Alice E. Sweeney.....	F	Dennis and Lizzie.
"	4 Helen Elvira Holmes.....	F	Alfred and Anna.
"	8 Arthur E. Peterson.....	M	Emil and Anna.
"	17 Clarence Selee Willis.....	M	Horace and Emma.
"	22 Ruth May Wilbur.....	F	Henry F. and Mary A.
"	27 Nina Zelina Coggan.....	F	Richard H. and Nina J.
"	28 Charles F. A. McGrath.....	M	Charles and Mabel.
"	29 Felix Goodwin Anderson.....	M	Jaimes and Melvina.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1899 — *Continued.*

DATE	NAME OF CHILD.	SEX.	NAMES OF PARENTS.
June	2 Wendell Tyler Ladd.....	M	Frank and Della.
"	3 Martin Moran.....	M	Patrick and Honora.
"	9 Mildred Emily Blomberg.....	F	William and Martha.
"	19 Alice Mildred Benson.....	F	Septimus and Anna.
"	21 Jennie Elizabeth Johnson.....	F	Irving B. and Margaret E.
"	25 Ruth Elizabeth Boten.....	F	John and Charlotte.
"	30 Joseph Wild.....	M	Philip P. and Mary G.
July	1 John Wyman Shepard.....	M	George E. and Mary E.
"	2 Elsie Edith White.....	F	George and Avis.
"	5 Wallace Gray Bellows.....	M	Albert F. and Mary J.
"	8 Charles William Dale.....	M	Charles O. and Hilma S.
"	11 Maude Eveline Robinson.....	F	Harry J. and Inez Nina.
"	24 Marion Estelle King.....	F	Walter C. and Mary J.
"	28 Alice Anna Croshaw.....	F	Thomas and Lizzie.
"	30 Isabella Edith Baxter.....	F	Albion F. and Hope.
August	3 Wesley Byron Watts.....	M	Charles J. and Flora B.
"	7 Ethel Gladys Randall.....	F	Lawrence and Flora.
"	9 William Wesley Phillips.....	M	Herbert E. and Lillian M.
"	10 Florida Duchesneau.....	F	George and Malina.
"	12 Mary Alice Downey.....	F	Nicholas F. and Nora.
"	13 Frederick Spillane.....	M	Maurice J. and Catherine A.
"	14 Charles Waldo Heath.....	M	Charles N. and Blenda T.
"	16 Selma Peterson.....	F	August and Anna.
"	21 Ethel Louise Mason.....	F	George and Nellie A.
"	26 Anna Ames.....	F	Arthur W. and Esther A.
"	31 Ethel Cornelia Wallin.....	F	Hans P. and Charlotte.
Sept'ber	7 Ruth Richardson Crockett.....	F	Frank L. and Nettie D.
"	7 Francis Murphy.....	M	Patrick and Julia Ann.
"	13 Mary Agnes Flynn.....	F	John J. and Julia M.
"	14 John Arthur Larsson.....	M	Abraham and Catherine A.
"	20 Isabel May Hixon.....	F	John A. and Mary C.
"	20 ——— Anderson.....	F	John and Anna Emma.
"	21 Edward Francis Downey.....	M	James F. and Sarah E.
"	27 Lottie Frances Bates.....	F	Garry W. and Anna E.
October	8 James Henry Murphy.....	M	John F. and Nellie M.
"	20 Chester Gottfried Hanson.....	M	Henry V. and Emma.
"	23 Berenice Mildred Davis.....	F	William E. and Carrie E.
"	29 Werner R. N. Anderson.....	M	Gustaf and Anna.
Nov'ber	1 Henry Albert Monroe.....	M	Edwin I. and Eudora.
"	3 Alice Seraphia Peterson.....	F	John and Ida.
"	12 Harold Clement Johnson.....	M	John C. and Margaret.
"	14 ——— McAnar.....	M	Anthony and Ellen.
"	16 Michael F. Curriuan.....	M	Michael F. and Mary.
"	18 Charles McCarthy.....	M	John J. and Mary.
"	20 ——— Pearsall.....	F	Alfred and Emma Rhoda.
Dec'ber	10 ——— Barker.....	M	Fred E. and Mabel P.
"	12 Margaret Furlong.....	F	Michael and Kate.
"	13 Augustine Downey.....	M	Thomas and Ellen M.
"	17 Winthrop Lester Smith.....	M	John M. and Gertrude L.
"	18 Ambrose Murphy.....	M	James A. and Catherine F.
"	18 Charles Henry Sims.....	M	Joseph and Isabella.
"	26 Martin Everett Washburn.....	M	Charles E. and Sarah.
"	28 ——— Drew.....	M	Dennison W. and Mary E.
"	29 Honora Mildred Healey.....	F	Edward J. and Mary J.
"	29 Esther Johnson.....	F	John and Anna.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1899.

DATE.	NAMES AND RESIDENCES.
Jan.	1. Henry Lindon Southworth and Angie Mabel Reams, both of Easton.
“	3. John Young of Easton, and Janet E. Sinclair, of Boston.
“	8. August H. Samuelson of Easton, and Ingred Sofia Olssen, of Stoughton.
Feb.	24. George Riley and Elise S. Leonard, both of Easton.
“	28. Frank W. Rathbun, of Mansfield, and Mabel F. Hanscom, of Easton.
March	24. Charles R. Jackson and Amanda Sofia Anderson, both of Easton.
April	7. William N. Blanchard and Olive M. Thomas, both of Easton.
“	8. William Blomberg and Martha Ellis, both of Easton.
“	26. Thomas Sullivan, and Norah Shea, both of Easton.
“	29. Oscar Edw. Ericsson and Gerda Alfreda Rohdin, both of Easton.
May	28. George A. Dean and Annie F. Wade, both of Easton.
June	20. Henry Kendall Thompson, of Easton, and Edythe Almira Hathaway, of Swansea.
July	11. Edward Thompson and Luella Frances Keenan, both of Easton.
“	12. Leroy C. Hanscom and Ada E. Leonard, both of Easton.
“	20. Walter Everett Bird, of Easton, and Annie Sinclair, of Brockton.
Aug:	1. Albert S. Dickerman, of Easton, and Bessie Brett Capen, of Stoughton.
“	2. Andrew Carlsson and Christine Lafvindhahl, both of Easton.
“	9. Arthur E. Wills, of Easton, and Nellie M. Penfield, of Wollaston.
“	12. Hilden George Hansom and Leola Frances Brooks, both of Easton.

- Aug. 15. Lawrence A. Lyons and Norah M. Shea, both of Easton.
- " 15. Harry W. Bruce and Elizabeth E. Thomas, both of Easton.
- " 18. Walter J. Sweet and Nettie R. Hammond, both of Easton.
- Oct. 5. Jesse W. Smith and Florence M. C. Campbell, both of Easton.
- " 11. Joseph Brimicombe, of Easton, and Eunice E. Wilcox, of Raynham.
- " 26. Alfred Wilmarth Heath and Gertrude Augusta Cane-galy, both of Easton.
- " 28. Ludwig Bashlund, of Brockton, and Emma Lindshay, of Brockton.
- Nov. 3. Charles Phillips and Mary Cruickshank, both of Easton.
- " 8. Thomas C. Murphy, of Easton, and Emily Hosatte, of Philadelphia.
- Dec. 7. John C. Lambert and Maria Dardis, both of Easton.
- " 7. Henry Whalen and Grace D. Lackey, both of Easton.
- " 10. Louis Britton, of Taunton, and Mary Amelia Lambert, of Easton.
- " 20. Earl Borden and Marian G. (Eddy) Hathaway, both of Fall River.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1899.

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.			CAUSE OF DEATH.
		Years.	Months.	Days.	
January 6	Myra G. Smith.....	81	2	8	Influenza
" 7	Ellen Truax.....	63	8	17	Enteritis
" 8	Annie Theresa Truax.....	26	11	..	Pneumonia
" 9	Stella E. Hayward.....	80	6	24	Bronchitis and age
" 13	John Foley.....	35	4	13	Tuberculosis
" 14	Susan L. Hanscom.....	53	1	29	Arterio capill'y fibrosis
" 15	Hannah M. Macomber.....	58	6	30	Pneumonia
" 17	Nathaniel W. Perry.....	71	10	30	Erysipelas
" 29	David A. Phillips.....	72	10	20	Heart Disease
Feb'y 2	Edmund Lothrop.....	83	2	22	Senile Debility
" 10	Mary A. Campion.....	22	9	..	Pulm. Tuberculosis
" 13	Mary Moore.....	65	..	..	Apoplexy
" 14	Mary Mayall.....	39	1	10	Gastric Ulcer
" 14	Phæbe A. Hayward.....	53	..	30	Malignant Tumor
" 16	Eliza Quinn.....	76	4	25	Senile Debility
" 17	Margaret Kenealy.....	59	..	..	Pulm. Congestion
" 24	Charles Smith.....	..	..	7	Congestion of lungs
March 3	Carrie Harlow.....	1	6	17	Acute Miliary Tub'losis
" 8	William King.....	81	7	17	Senile Debility
" 10	George F. Rice.....	33	2	6	Pneumonia
" 16	Blanche Shipe.....	1	1	28	General Tuberculosis
" 17	Guilford White.....	76	7	..	Pneumonia
" 18	James Cruickshank.....	38	10	7	Croupous Pneumonia
" 23	Elbin F. Twitchell.....	..	4	6	Convulsions
" 25	Theodore Carlton Darling..	21	4	13	Catarrhal Pneumonia
" 30	Mary Muller.....	81	9	13	Pneumonia
April 10	Charles R. Lyon.....	71	6	30	Consumption
" 14	Oscar Howard Range.....	..	..	7	Malformation of Heart
" 20	Margaret Harrigan.....	66	..	..	Pulm. Hemorrhage
" 21	George H. Craig.....	19	5	9	Pneumonia
" 22	Charles F. Lothrop.....	70	10	3	Paralysis
" 27	Sarah E. Mackay.....	71	4	29	Pleurisy
May 1	Margaret Middleton.....	80	..	..	Croupous Pneumonia
" 6	Thomas McCarthy.....	68	..	..	Heart Disease
" 9	Mary O'Keefe.....	71	..	..	Catarrhal Pneumonia
" 8	Margaret Healey.....	72	..	..	Old age
" 11	Catherine Murphy.....	63	3	17	Heart Disease
" 12	Ann M. Hayward.....	76	9	20	Hypertrophy of Heart
" 16	Catherine McCormack.....	68	..	..	Bronco-Pneumonia
" 18	Annie M. O'Keefe.....	41	..	26	Typhoid Pneumonia
" 23	Freeman Nickerson.....	61	7	14	Heart Disease
" 27	Mary Ormsby.....	52	10	13	Asthenia
" 28	Catherine Mullen.....	51	..	..	Cardiac Failure
" 31	Harry G. French.....	32	4	21	Chronic Nephritis
June 1	Susan Amanda Drake.....	67	1	..	Bright's Disease
" 3	Elvira Shepard.....	68	8	..	Heart Disease
" 4	Peter Keenan.....	61	..	..	Gastric Carcinoma
" 6	Isael Cohen.....	2	..	..	Bronco-Pneumonia
" 11	Joseph W. Holbrook.....	47	3	2	Cardiac Disease
" 19	Mildred E. Blomberg.....	1	..	20	Congenital Heart Dis.
" 19	John O'Hanlon.....	51	11	26	Cardiac Disease
" 27	Helen A. Hayes.....	53	1	6	Carcinoma
" 29	John Field Lynch.....	8	1	9	Appendicitis

DEATHS REGISTERED IN EASTON IN 1899.—*Continued.*

DATE.	NAME.	AGE.			CAUSE OF DEATH.
		Years.	Months.	Days.	
July	4 Fanny R. Holton.....	74	11	5	Embolism
"	7 Margaret McKean.....	50	..	..	Carcinoma
"	9 Fred A. Pittsley.....	38	5	3	Cancer
"	10 John McCafferty.....	56	..	..	Accidental drowning
"	14 John J. Burns.....	30	..	..	Diabetes
"	15 J. Hiram Towne.....	67	5	4	Disease of Liver
"	17 Georgiana Maria Hunt.....	63	7	27	Carcinoma
"	17 Mary Ann Randall.....	87	..	..	Carcinoma
"	28 Mercy A. Packard.....	54	7	17	Apoplexy
August	4 Mary McCombe.....	52	3	27	Cerebral Hemorrhage
"	4 George Reynolds.....	..	..	..	Gastro Enteritis
"	8 Patrick Campion.....	54	2	5	Enterocolitis
"	21 Dorothea E. Harves.....	..	9	26	Ulcerative Colitis
"	28 James H. McMullen.....	26	8	24	Gastritis and Colitis
"	29 Wallace G. Bellows.....	..	2	..	Marasmus
Sept'ber	5 Alice C. Shepardson.....	21	1	6	Pulm. Tuberculosis
"	16 Abby S. Bunby.....	..	4	19	Chol. Infantum
"	18 Oakes Angier Ames.....	70	5	4	Angina Pectoris
October	8 Clara E. Manning.....	51	11	16	Heart Disease
"	8 Mary B. Reed..	84	5	..	Enterocolitis
"	16 Eliza A. Leach.....	96	6	4	Pneumonia
"	17 John Galvin.....	45	..	..	Diabetes
"	22 Isaac Pierce.....	61	8	17	Cancer of Liver
"	23 Catherine Jane Quill....	19	..	..	Pulm. Tuberculosis
"	24 Edward Linnehan....	77	11	..	Overtaxation of Heart
Nov'ber	1 Lawrence J. Barber.....	32	4	5	Cardiac Dis. & Phthisis
"	5 Mildred C. Olwell.....	..	6	..	Marasmus
"	6 William A. Flynn.....	50	..	..	Cerebral Tumor
"	6 Julia A. Howard.....	76	6	26	Cartarrhal Pneumonia
"	7 Harry A. Monroe.....	..	..	6	Convulsions
"	15 Palmer Newton.....	80	11	19	Pneumonia
"	17 Margaret McManus.....	85	7	..	Heart Disease
"	29 Bridget Todd.....	32	..	..	Mitral Disease
Dec'ber	16 Mary E. Tune.....	41	4	..	Meningitis
"	18 Evan L. Anderson.....	1	5	14	Croupous Pneumonia
"	25 Joanna M. Tibbetts.....	84	8	11	Paresis
"	28 William Higginbottom.....	79	11	23	Pulm. Oedema

OWNERS AND KEEPERS OF DOGS

LICENSED IN EASTON IN 1899.

Ames, Oliver (kennel)	Benson, Lars.
Ames, Hobart, (kennel)	Berwig, John.
Ames, Mrs. A. C. (kennel)	Birnie, John.
Adams, John E.	Blake, John E.
Albee, D. E.	Boggs, Benj. D.
Alger, Gladys W.	Bradley, Frank.
Alger, Frank.	Bruce, B. W.
Alger, Horace H. (3)	Bruce, Walter C.
Allen, Edw. L. (2)	Buck, Henry D.
Allen, Stephen.	Buckley, James S.
Ames, William H. (2)	Butler, Jeremiah J.
Anderson, Andrew B.	Butler, Michael.
Anderson, Olof.	Burgess, William A.
Ashley, H. C. (2)	
Ashley, Mrs. Wm. J.	Callahan, Eugene.
	Callahan, John F. (2)
Baldwin, John.	Canegaly, Harry (2)
Barton, Geo. H.	Carpenter, David S.
Barton, Mrs. R. A. (2)	Carr, Charles.
Basey, Samuel.	Carr, Frank.
Beatty, John.	Carr, Henry.
Belcher, D. W.	Chaffin, William L.
Belcher, Mrs. Edgar F.	Chase, Leander.
Belcher, Frank. (2)	Christian, John.
Belcher, Geo. C.	Clements, Ethel P.

Coldwell, Chas. S.
 Conlan, Emma.
 Conley, Minnie F.
 Connell, Charles.
 Connell, Fred.
 Conant, Fred A.
 Conroy, Robert T.
 Copeland, C. G.
 Copeland, George.
 Cook, M. A. (2)
 Costello, Patrick.
 Cotter, Cornelius.
 Coughlin, Dennis.
 Cramer, J. (2)
 Cruickshank, Edw.
 Cruickshank, George.
 Cunningham, John E.
 Curran, Hugh.
 Currivan, Michael. (2)

Dahl, John.
 Dailey, Chas. K.
 Dailey, Cornelius.
 Dailey, Elizabeth.
 Dailey, James N.
 Dailey, William.
 Dana, Nettie G.
 Darling, Roland.
 Day, Oliver A.
 Dean, James E.
 Dean, John O. (2)
 Dean, Nelson C.

Derby, William A.
 Desmond, Michael.
 DeWitt, George H.
 Dickerman, Albert.
 Dineen, Daniel J.
 Donahue, Daniel P.
 Donahue, Thomas.
 Donovan, James P.
 Drake, William E.
 Drew, Henry F.
 Duchesneau, George.
 Dyer, Harry D.

Eddy, Daniel J.
 Eddy, Frank J.
 Ellis, E. T.
 Erving, John, Jr.
 Erving, Samuel R.
 Erving, William.

Field, John R.
 Fisher, E. N.
 Fisher, Peter.
 Flynn, Nellie C.
 French, Augustus G.
 Frost, Henry F.

Gallagher, Barney F.
 Gallagher, N.
 Galvin, Cornelius.
 Galvin, Timothy J.
 Gardner, Ira F.

Geddes, George Jr.
 Gibbs, Bert.
 Gibling, Julia.
 Gilliott, J. W.
 Gooch, A. F. (2)
 Gooch, Alton L.
 Goward, Edwin T. (2)
 Goward, Mrs. J. F.
 Goward, Willard K.
 Grant, James, (2)
 Grant, John B.
 Grant, Wallace.
 Grant, William. (2)
 Grundberg, Emrick H.

Hamilton, William J.
 Hanlon, Fred.
 Hanson, Charles.
 Hanson, Oliver.
 Hardy, Parsons O.
 Harlow, Hugh.
 Harlow, Patrick.
 Harvey, Charles A.
 Harvey, E. P.
 Harvey, William.
 Hayes, Geo. G.
 Hayward, Edw. R.
 Hayward, Samuel A.
 Heath, Henry W.
 Heath, Olive M.
 Heunegar, Charles.
 Herrick, J. F.

Higgginbottom, Charles W.
 Holbrook, Mrs. Joseph W.
 Howard, George.
 Howard, J. E. (2)
 Howard, Lucius.
 Howard, Roger S.
 Howard, Wilmarth P.
 Howes, Mary J.
 Howes, Samuel J.
 Hunt, Harold.
 Jennings, Christie.
 Johnson, Irving B. (2)
 Jones, Robert P.

Kay, Gladys.
 Keith, F. Sherwood. (2)
 Keith, George L.
 Keith, Thomas B.
 Kennedy, Edw. H.
 Kimball, George L.
 King, Henry W.

Ladd, Frank.
 Ladd, Thomas F.
 Leary, Dennis F.
 Leary, Patrick.
 Leeson, John.
 Leighton, James C.
 Leonard, Chas. S.
 Leonard, Emory S.
 Leonard, Louise.

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| Leyland, George. | Miller, Delmont A. |
| Lillie, Marianna. | Monk, Chas. F. |
| Lindell, Charles. | Moran, Joseph. |
| Lindquist, Oliver J. | Morse, Alfred B. |
| Litchfield, Thomas L. | Mulhearn, Peter. |
| Littlefield, F. B. | Mowatt, John. |
| Looby, J. H. | Munroe, G. I. |
| Lothrop, Cyrus. | Mowry, I. B. |
| Lothrop, Mary J. | Murphy, T. J. |
| Lothrop, W. Brooke. (3) | Murray, Alexander. |
| Lordan, Wm. F. (2) | Murray, Patrick. |
| Lufkin, Chas. H. | McGuire, Frank. |
| Lynch, Michael. | |
| Lyons, Daniel J. (2) | Nickerson, F. |
| | Nolan, Lizzie. |
| | Nye, George G. |
| Mahony, Daniel. | |
| Maliff, Frank H. (2) | Olssen, Simon. |
| Maloy, Michael F. | Olssen, Sander H. |
| Manchester, J. H. | O'Keefe, Nellie. |
| Mann, Frank P. | O'Neil, Dennis. |
| Manning, Linus B. | Orrel, James. |
| Marshall, Henry. | O'Connor, J. J. |
| Marshall, Samuel W. | |
| McAnar, Anthony. | Phelan, J. A. |
| McCarthy, Thomas. | Phillips, Adelbert. |
| McDonald, David N. | Phillips, David O. |
| McEntee, Archibald. | Phillips, Harry E. (2) |
| McDermott, Mary. | Phillips, Horace D. |
| McKean, Robert. | Pierce, W. T. |
| McKenna, Owen. | Piper, James. |
| McLeod, William. (2) | Pratt, Amos G. |
| Meyers, Herman H. | |

Pratt, Edith W.
 Pratt, Frank C.
 Pratt, Guy W.
 Proctor, Bartholomew.

Quinn, George E.

Randall, Arthur E.
 Randall, Charles E.
 Randall, Daniel L.
 Randall, Fred.
 Randall, George M.
 Randall, Langdon H. (2)
 Randall, Oscar B.
 Randall, Ozro S.
 Randall, William O.
 Ranklin, Mrs. James.
 Ready, James.
 Reed, Charles D.
 Renahan, Dollie. (2)
 Rice, Harry A.
 Rice, Vernon.
 Riordan, Cornelius.
 Riordan, Murtagh J.
 Riordan, Dennis F. (2)
 Robinson, Mrs. Wm.
 Rohdin, John A.
 Ross, George.

Scanlon, John.
 Sheehan, Thomas. (3)
 Sherman, Florence.

Shewell, Chas. E.
 Sisson, Alfred A.
 Slattery, Edmund.
 Smith, Charles H.
 Smith, George A.
 Smith, George R.
 Smith, Dwelley G. (2)
 Smith, John H.
 Smith, Luther F.
 Soule, Nelson P.
 Spillane, John.
 Stanton, John.
 Sullivan, E.
 Sweeney, D. H. (2)
 Sweet, George H.

Taylor, Jenner B.
 Thayer, Herbert F. (2)
 Thomas, Cornelius.
 Thompson, H. M.
 Tileston, F. W.
 Tonnell, Chas. H.
 Tune, William E.

Ward, George (2)
 Watts, James.
 Webster, Forest.
 Webster, Alverdo P. (2)
 Webster, Clinton B.
 Wells, George H.
 Wells, Orion W.
 White, Frank A. 2d

Williams, Albert.
Williams, Edw. D.
Williams, Frank H.
Williams, Henry C.
Williams, John M.
Williams, Monroe.
Williams, Thomas E.
White, Frank A.
Whitten, Herman.

Wills, Frank L.
Wilbur, Henry F.
Wilbur, Lemuel K. (2)
Willis, Fred. L.
Willis, Horace W.
Willis, J. E. (2)
Willis, Martin H.
Wilson, Jesse C.
Wilde, Geo. F. F.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING.

MARCH 6, 1899.

Lorenzo B. Crockett was chosen to act as Moderator.

The Reports of Town Officers were accepted.

Previous to balloting for Town Officers it was voted to limit the number of Constables to six.

Town Officers were elected in the usual manner.

The following sums of money were voted to be raised and appropriated, viz :—

For Support of Poor, seven thousand dollars.

“ Incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

“ Discount on taxes, twenty-eight hundred dollars.

“ Town Officers' bills, twenty-two hundred dollars.

“ Repairs of highways and bridges, six thousand dollars.

“ Road tools, four hundred dollars.

“ Clearing roads of snow, eight hundred dollars.

“ Salaries of school teachers, fourteen thousand three hundred dollars.

“ Fuel for school houses, eleven hundred dollars.

“ Care of schoolhouses, sixteen hundred and fifty dollars

“ School supplies and sundries, one thousand dollars.

“ Text books, eight hundred dollars.

“ Repairs of schoolhouses, one thousand dollars.

“ School furniture, four hundred dollars.

“ Conveyance of H. S. pupils, one thousand dollars.

“ Evening school, three hundred dollars.

The Treasurer was authorized to borrow money in anticipation of the town tax.

The list of jurors, presented by the Selectmen, was accepted.

One hundred and fifty dollars was voted for Memorial Day.

The widening and laying out of Depot street by the Road Commissioners was accepted and one hundred and fifty dollars voted for land damages.

Voted that the Selectmen appoint two special officers to suppress the illegal sale of intoxicants and twelve hundred dollars was voted to be raised and appropriated for this purpose; said officers to be responsible to the Selectmen.

Voted to raise and appropriate five hundred dollars to make the fountain on the Square in North Easton, a public watering place.

Voted to raise and appropriate one hundred dollars to be paid to Brockton for the assistance of its fire department in May, 1898.

On motion of Rev. Mr. Chaffin, the town voted an expression of its confidence in Thomas F. Ladd as a member of the Board of Road Commissioners.

On the question "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this town?" the vote was "No" two hundred and ninety-three; "Yes" one hundred and twenty-seven.

The meeting was dismissed.

The following named persons were elected and qualified as Constables; James O'Neil, Thomas Downey, Samuel M. Rennie, George F. Rice, Amos G. Pratt and George H. Swett.

STATE ELECTION, NOVEMBER 7, 1899.

At the Annual State Election holden on Tuesday, November 7, 1899, the number of ballots cast was three hundred ninety four, and they were for the following persons :—

FOR GOVERNOR.

Albert B. Coates, of Beverly, seven.
 W. Murray Crane, of Dalton, two hundred and forty five.
 Robert Treat Paine Jr., of Boston, one hundred and seven.
 George R. Pease, of Lynn, seven.
 Winfield P. Porter, of Newburyport, nine.

FOR LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR.

John L. Bates, of Boston, two hundred and fifty-five.
 John H. Mack, of No. Adams, one hundred and one.
 James H. Roberts, of Cambridge, four.
 Isaac W. Skinner, of Brockton, eleven.
 James F. Stevens, of Boston, five.

FOR SECRETARY.

Charles H. Bradley, of Haverhill, nine,
 John B. Lewis Jr., of Reading, seven.
 Henry Lloyd of Boston, ninety-seven.
 Frank McDonald, of Stoneham, eleven.
 William M. Olin, of Boston. two hundred and forty-two.

FOR TREASURER.

Edward S. Bradford, of Springfield, two hundred and forty-two.
 Joseph J. Flynn, of Lawrence, ninety-four.
 Herbert B. Griffin, of Winthrop, six.
 Frederick A. Nagler, of Springfield, nine.
 Charles W. White, of Winchester, twelve.

FOR AUDITOR.

Elbridge Gerry Brown, of Brockton, ninety-two.
 Frank Albin Forstrom, of Worcester, ten.
 John W. Kimball, of Fitchburg, two hundred and forty-one.
 Angus McDonald, of Boston, thirteen.
 Franklin A. Palmer, of Stockbridge, five.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Addison W. Barr, of Worcester, thirteen.
 Hosea M. Knowlton, of New Bedford, two hundred fifty-four.
 John H. Morrison, of Lowell, ninety-six.
 Sidney Perley, of Salem, seven.
 Walter P. J. Skahan, of New Bedford, five.

FOR COUNCILLOR. (Second District.)

William W. Davis, of Boston, two hundred and fifty-one.
 Thomas J. A. Johnson, of Boston, one hundred and six.

FOR SENATOR. (First Bristol District.)

Richard P. Coughlin, of Taunton, one hundred and eleven.
 Warren S. Leach, of Raynham, two hundred and forty-five.

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT. (Second Bristol District.)

George C. Belcher, of Easton, two hundred and eighty-one.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER. (Bristol.)

William R. Black, of Taunton, two hundred and forty-seven.
 John I. Bryant, of Fairhaven, ninety-five.
 Dennis McGoff, of New Bedford, fourteen.

The whole number of ballots for Representative in the General Court, cast in Easton, Mansfield and Raynham, constituting the Second Bristol Representative District, was six hundred and ninety-four.

George C. Belcher, of Easton, five hundred and twenty-nine.

Scattering, two.

Blanks, one hundred and sixty-three.

GEO. G. WITHINGTON,

Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

TOWN OF EASTON IN ACCOUNT WITH TREASURER.

DR. PAID.	CR. RECEIVED.
State Tax,	Balance cash, \$3,882 02
County Tax,	“ uncollected
National Bank Tax,	taxes, 3,325 36
Notes paid,	
Paid on orders of Selectmen,	Assessors' return of taxes, \$7,207 38
“ “ School Com- mittee,	From loans, 45,596 44
Highway Department,	“ balance corporation tax, for 1898, 15,751 40
Officers' court fees,	“ corporation tax, 1899, 275 41
Taxes remitted and abated,	“ National Bank tax, 1899, 10,029 82
Tax Discount,	“ Aid to Poor repaid, 1,763 00
State and Military Aid,	“ School Department Funds, 1,062 85
Paid State on account of licenses,	“ Road, 4,166 79
General Electric Dividend re- invested,	“ Commonwealth, State Aid of 1898, 5,375 24
Record and return of births,	“ fines from court and jails, 2,001 50
marriages, etc.,	“ licenses, 185 00
	11 00
Amount carried forward,	Amount carried forward, \$93,425 83
\$85,612 03	

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$85,612 03	<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$93,425 83
Balance uncollect-		From General Electric Divi-	
ed taxes,	\$3,154 69	dends,	4,608 50
Cash,	9,267 61		
	<u>\$12,422 30</u>		
	<u>\$98,034 33</u>		<u>\$98,034 33</u>

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT IN ACCOUNT WITH TREASURER.

Dr. PAID.	Cr. RECEIVED.
Semi-monthly pay-rolls,	Appropriation for Highway Re-
Sundry Expenses,	pairs,
Snow Bills,	Appropriation for Tools,
Land Damages,	“ “ Snow,
Balance,	“ “ Land damages,
	From Ames Fund,
	“ Mrs. R. C. Ames for labor,
	“ Commonwealth St. Ry.
	taxes,
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<i>Amount carried forward,</i>
\$12,725 24	\$12,092 91

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$12,725 24	<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$12,092 91
		From T. & B. St. Ry. Co.,	196 10
		“ Brockton St. Ry. Co.,	264 11
		“ M. & E. St. Ry. Co.,	172 12
	<u>\$12,725 24</u>		<u>\$12,725 24</u>

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT IN ACCOUNT WITH TREASURER.

Dr. PAID.		Cr. RECEIVED.	
Teachers' pay rolls,	\$14,889 00	Appropriation for teachers,	\$14,300 00
Superintendent,	1,364 95	“ “ sundries,	1,000 00
School sundries,	1,173 65	“ “ care,	1,650 00
Care of schoolhouses,	1,722 22	“ “ text books,	800 00
Repairs of schoolhouses,	1,040 32	“ “ fuel,	1,100 00
Text books,	712 71	“ “ repairs,	1,000 00
Fuel,	481 41	“ “ furniture,	400 00
Furniture,	370 60	“ “ conveyance,	1,000 00
Conveyance of H. S. pupils,	1,074 40	“ “ evening school,	300 00
Evening school,	187 43	From Ames Fund,	3,011 23
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<u>\$23,016 69</u>	<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	<u>\$24,561 23</u>

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$23,016 69	<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$24,561 23
Salaries (Oakes Ames Fund),	212 50	From Commonwealth,	\$343 50
Balance,	2,487 51	“ tuition (other towns),	33 00
		“ Mrs. Anna C. Ames,	25 00
		“ dog fund,	753 97
	<u>\$25,716 70</u>		<u>\$25,716 70</u>

AUDITORS' REPORT.

The subscribers, Auditors of the Accounts of the Town of Easton for the year ending Dec. 30, 1899, have examined the accounts of Geo. G. Withington, its Treasurer, and have found the same correctly cast and properly vouched; and the Treasurer has verified to us that the cash balance of \$9,267.61, due from him to the Town is in his possession.'

GEO. W. KENNEDY,
WILLIAM J. TWOHIG.

Auditors.

Names of Persons Receiving State Aid in 1899.

Daniel M. Burrill,	\$48 00
Benjamin D. Boggs,	36 00
George H. Drake, five months,	15 00
Laban W. Drake,	36 00
George Dunbar,	72 00
Peter Fisher and wife,	72 00
James F. Gooch,	36 00
James Harris,	48 00
William D. Higgins,	72 00
Albert Hayward,	72 00
David Howard,	48 00
Edward W. Jenkins,	48 00
George A. Lackey and wife,	96 00
Charles F. Lothrop, four months,	12 00
Thomas McHugh,	36 00
Charles S. Packard,	48 00
Simeon A. Randall,	36 00
William F. Rounds and wife, four months,	28 00
Charles H. Smith,	48 00
Ezra G. Whittemore,	48 00
Alfred Lincoln, military aid,	96 00
Ann A. Lothrop, eight months,	32 00
Ann Conlin,	48 00
Amanda Drake, five months,	20 00
Susan E. Drew,	48 00
Caroline F. Hill,	48 00

Amount carried forward,

\$1,247 90

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,247 00
Ann Haney,	48 00
Adelaide A. Humphrey, three months,	6 00
Sarah J. Keenan,	48 00
Mary J. Lothrop,	48 00
Eldora F. Morse,	48 00
Mary McEvoy,	48 00
Ellen M. McGuire,	48 00
Margaret Mulhearn,	48 00
Mary Richards,	48 00
Laura A. Smith,	48 00
Harriet E. Waldron,	48 00
Celia J. Wells,	24 00
Ann Welby, four months,	16 00
Caroline Wheeler,	48 00
Lydia Willis,	48 00
	\$1,869 00

Any discrepancy in the amount expended in the School Department as stated in the respective reports of the Superintendent and Treasurer, is owing to failure to present to the latter for payment, bills approved by the School Committee and charged on the school report.

The actual condition of the Road Department is not shown by this statement, as a large amount of approved bills now in the hands of the Road Commissioners, for some reason, have not been presented for payment.

GEORGE G. WITHINGTON,
Treasurer.

Treasurer's Report, Oakes Ames Memorial Hall Association.

FOR YEAR 1899.

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1899,	\$443 64
Received from rent of hall, for lectures and other entertainments,	404 00
Received from Paul Dean Lodge, for rent of rooms, as per lease,	1 00
Received from Paul Dean Lodge, for use of gasoline,	25 00
Interest on deposit in North Easton Savings Bank,	14 48
	\$888 12

EXPENDITURES.

L. H. Smith, services as janitor,	\$138 00	
Gasolene,	130 25	
Repairs,	27 17	
Labor in and about the building,	31 43	
Coal,	29 90	
Wood,	4 00	
Sundries,	3 56	
		\$364 31
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1900,		
		\$523 81

Paid Janitor for services on account of town, \$30 00

I also hold as Treasurer, the income on 1 Union Pacific 1st Mortgage 4 percent Bond, and 22 shares Union Pacific Pref. stock, the income of which is to be applied to the insuring of the Oakes Ames Memorial Hall, and any balance to be applied to repairs.

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1899, \$92 10

Dividends Nos. 2 & 3 on 22 shares U. P. Pref. stock, 77 00

Interest on 1 U. P. 1st Mort. 4 percent Bond, 40 00

Interest on deposit in No. Easton Savings Bank, 3 90

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1900 in Insurance Fund, \$213 00

Insurance expires, \$35,000 Oct. 14, 1901.

“ “ 5,000 Feb. 16, 1902.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. H. AMES, .

Treasurer.

ROAD COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

To the Citizens of Easton, Mass.

The annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the Road Department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1899, as far as the bills have been presented, is herewith submitted:

ROAD DEPARTMENT PROPERTY ON HAND,

JANUARY 1, 1900.

6 horses.	18 shovels.
6 carts.	2 tool boxes.
1 stone rigging.	5 curry combs.
4 cart harnesses.	4 steel bars.
1 pair double harnesses.	2 axes.
4 pair trace chains.	100 feet hard pine plank.
12 halters.	60 chestnut posts.
1 road roll.	3 feed bags.
1 scraper.	6 bush scythes.
1 Penock road machine.	2 snaths.
5 snow ploughs.	3 sledge hammers.
2 ploughs.	3 forks.
1 ox yoke.	a lot of old iron.
1 grain box.	2 striking hammers.
6 large drills.	6 hand drills.
4 whiffletrees.	1 wrench.
2 drill spoons.	8 lantern globes.
2 steel wedges.	1 steel stamp.
12 picks.	10 lanterns.
8 pick hoes.	6 water pails.

6 horse blankets.	2 horse brushes.
6 mane brushes.	4 stone chains.
4 rakes.	134 feet 12 inch drain pipe.
2 gravel screens.	180 " 8 " " "
6 lantern holders.	22 " 6 " " "
6 feed boxes.	24 " 3 " " "
4 tie chains.	

ROAD MATERIAL MOVED BY TEAMS.

Loads of dirt,	5116
" " gravel,	3741
" " stone,	4148
" " crushed stone,	1784
" " screenings.	171

Stone road built, 3,320 feet.

State stone road built, 1,000 feet.

Drain pipe laid, 2,343 feet.

2,689 loads of crushed stone are on hand Dec. 31, 1899.

35 loads of screening are on hand Dec. 31, 1899.

LABOR BY ROAD DEPARTMENT COMPANY.

T. F. Ladd,	\$765 00
James Reddy,	504 92
William Lordon,	462 91
Morace Fitzgerald,	455 06
Dennis Coughlin,	474 30

Amount carried forward, \$2,662 19

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$2,662 19
Andrew Luzon,	476 04
John Barrett,	426 17
Peter Nolan,	469 93
Henry Drake,	373 65
Chas. Scott,	467 29
Horace Phillips,	417 43
Chas. Coldwell,	525 90
Dennis Murphy,	457 68
Patrick Bradley,	475 18
Joseph Grant,	462 03
Robert Ervine,	294 90
	\$7,508 39

LABOR OUTSIDE OF ROAD COMPANY.

Con. Dailey, work on walls and drain pipe,	\$97 35
John Ervin, work on walls and bridges,	189 50
John A. Eak, paving gutters,	36 63
N. P. Pierson, street well,	8 86
Ira Gardner, work on walls,	28 12
John Bacchieri, work on drain pipe,	35 00
James Eddy, " " " "	22 75
Wm. Ervin, " " walls,	11 25
A. B. Anderson, " " drain pipe,	169 40
J. J. McCarthy, labor of men and teams, 1895,	3 00
" " " " " 1896,	33 75
" " " " " 1897,	42 75
" " " " " 1898,	15 75
" " " " " 1899,	135 77

<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$829 88
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<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$829 88
J. O. Dean, men and teams scraping roads,		96 95
C. E. Randall and team, raking roads,		87 16
H. H. Andrews,	“ “	43 27
C. S. Drew,	“ “	12 58
A. Ells,	“ “	11 50
J. McPherson,	“ “	22 58
W. T. Harding,	“ “	43 42
		\$1,147 34

BLACKSMITHING AND REPAIRS.

F. A. Conant,		\$41 58
John H. Dailey,		86 88
James F. Readdy,		1 85
Stephen Diamond,		9 32
S. D. Simpson & Son,		118 40
		\$258 03

GRAVEL PAID FOR IN 1899.

Geo. C. Belcher,	675 loads,	\$33 75
Wm. E. Drake,	718 “	35 90
A. L. Bennett,	501 “	25 05
Rebecca J. Nye,	785 “	39 25
David Wade,	691 “	34 55
L. A. Reed,	1843 “	92 15
T. E. Williams,	146 “	7 30
O. B. Randall,	137 “	6 85
J. C. Goward,	102 “	5 10
		\$279 90

GRAIN ACCOUNT.

J. O. Dean & Co.,	\$457 60
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HAY ACCOUNT.

Estate of L. L. Berry,	\$104 00
Easton Town Farm,	26 05
H. C. Ashley,	6 50
J. O. Dean & Co.,	286 22
	\$422 77

SUNDRIES ACCOUNT.

Estate of L. L. Berry, rent of stable, 8 months,	\$26 66
J. C. Goward, bridge stones,	15 00
Swift Brothers, store bill,	1 74
J. M. Howard & Son, store bill,	1 70
Ames Plow Co., sledge handles,	1 75
O. Ames & Sons, store bill,	12 37
Andrew Gale, moving buildings,	40 00
T. R. Marshall removing trees on Centre street,	18 00
T. R. Marshall, stone drag and labor,	5 75
John Erving, stone drags and labor,	14 50
John H. Dailey, doctoring horses,	5 00
J. C. Goward, drain pipe,	18 00
J. J. McCarthy, harness oil,	1 50
“ “ “ collar and saddle pads,	9 50
“ “ “ freight bills paid,	75
“ “ “ express “ “	50

<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$172 72
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<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$172 72
J. C. Keith, horse brushes and currycombs,	3 38
T. F. Ladd, railing for bridge,	80
" " " express and freight bills,	1 30
" " " currycombs,	48
" " " time books,	50
J. M. Howard & Son, bill of drain pipe,	21 72
Geo. G. Withington, horse medicines,	2 10
E. E. Kelley, lanterns and oil cans,	5 71
O. Ames & Sons, shovels,	32 66
E. B. Hayward, surveying, plans for drain pipe, gutters, street grades and setting bound stones as per item bills,	196 64
Con. Dailey, concrete crossing on Mechanic St.,	36 00
A. B. Anderson, drain pipe,	10 35
J. O. Dean, four well covers,	18 20
" " " 2497 ft. drain pipe,	390 91
	\$893 47

RECAPITULATION.

Appropriation in 1898 for widening streets,	\$2,128 00
" " 1899 " " "	150 00
	\$2,278 00
Paid out in 1898 for widening streets, \$513 00	
" " 1899 " " "	367 85
	\$880 85

RECEIPTS FOR REPAIR ACCOUNT.

Town appropriation for repairs,	\$6,000 00
“ “ for tools,	400 00
“ “ for snow,	800 00
Income from Ames Bequest,	2,895 63
“ “ street railroads, 1898 and 1899,	2,189 11
Labor for Mansfield & Easton St. R. R. 1898,	155 00
“ “ Mrs. F. L. Ames,	15 95
Due from Mansfield & Easton St. R. R. Co. for cleaning up streets,	500 00
	\$12,955 69

EXPENDITURES.

Labor by road department company,	\$7,508 39
Labor outside of road department company,	1,147 34
Blacksmithing and repairs,	258 03
Gravel paid for in 1899,	279 90
Grain bought,	457 60
Hay bought,	422 77
Sundries account,	893 47
Seventy-eight snow bills,	440 75
	\$11,408 25

N. B. All work on snow by the road company is included in the repairs work.

The subject of the purchase of a Steam Road Roller and a portable steam engine and stone crusher plant, has been in the thoughts of your Commissioners and others interested in the permanent improvement of our roads, for a long

time. Last May, one of your Commissioners was offered an opportunity to purchase a fifteen ton Steam Roller, made by the Buffalo Pitts Company, of Buffalo, N. Y., and an engine, crusher, elevator, screen, pockets, scales and the complete plant, that had been used in the building of the State Road, in Taunton, in the fall of 1898. The opportunity was such that he concluded to buy the whole plant in his own name, and has moved it to the Mayhall pit, and had it put in running order. The roller is in a building built for it near Theodore Darlings'. The whole machinery has been used some two weeks, in the building of one thousand feet of stone road, in the same manner and on the same grades as the State Highway Commission insist in having State roads built. The piece of road thus built shows for itself and the contrast between the ends of the old road and the new is very easy to observe. We should have finished the sides of the road different had it not been for expected construction of the Electric R. R. the coming spring.

If the town think the time has come for them to own such a plant, they can have this whole plant for what it has cost as it now stands. There is no doubt but what it can be used to good advantage, as this town is now situated.

Many of our cobble stone roads can be dressed over with crushed stone and rolled so as to make roads as good as the State roads at a comparatively small expense.

The crusher at North Easton should have an elevator, screen and pockets attached to it. The expense would be some four hundred dollars, and at that price, would be a very profitable investment.

We do not want the town to understand that we expect to make all state roads, but our feeling is, that with the machinery talked of, we can make some each year and not in-

crease our annual expenses very much, although the fact is very apparent that the public, and especially the wheelmen, demand smoother and better roads every year.

The boilers of the roller and portable engine have both been inspected by the State Inspector, and said to be in good condition.

By the sale of the L. L. Berry Estate, where our teams have been kept for a number of years, we were obliged to move out. The large stable formerly occupied by the late Lewis Phillips, being for sale, one of your Commissioners bought it with sufficient land for the accommodation and storage of all road tools and property. This property can be had by the town for what it has cost.

We have laid three long lines of drain pipe in North Easton, which we think will remove the surface water, which has been a source of trouble for a long time.

The drinking fountain in the square at North Easton has been changed so that the water can be used for horses in winter as well as summer.

By the closing of the Treasurer's books two days earlier than ever before bills to the amount of \$1470.39 were not paid by the Treasurer in 1899 account, but have been paid on 1900 account.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. McCARTHY.

T. FRANK LADD,

JOHN O. DEAN,

Commissioners.

REPORT
OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE
AND
Superintendent of Schools
OF THE
TOWN . OF . EASTON
FOR THE YEAR 1899.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

ROBERT T. CONROY, *Chairman.* HEMAN HOWARD, *Secretary.*
WILLIAM H. AMES, [Resigned.] LINCOLN S. DRAKE.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

EDWARD B. MAGLATHLIN.

NAMES OF TEACHERS EMPLOYED DURING THE YEAR 1899.

High	MAITLAND C. LAMPREY.	No. 7.	MARY J. REYNOLDS.
"	HENRIETTA WINCHESTER.	"	LIZZIE E. MORSE.
"	ANNIE J. FAIRCHILD.	"	FRANCES A. HIGGINBOTTOM.
No. 1.	LOUISE G. MARSHALL.	"	CLARA L. KING
"	GERTRUDE A. CANEGALY.	"	JULIA A. REARDON.
"	JULIA A. WALSH	"	EMMA A. LEACH.
"	ELIZABETH R. LEACH.	"	MINNIE F. CONLEY.
No. 2.	LIZZIE S. CAVANAUGH.	"	MARIA E. MURPHY.
"	MARY A. O'CONNELL.	"	LIZZIE M. CLARK.
No. 3.	ADA E. LEONARD.	"	LETITIA BIRD.
"	MARY A. O'CONNELL.	"	CARRIE T. DRAKE.
Union.	CARRIE A. KEITH.	No. 8.	CLARA A. DRAKE.
"	ANNA C. KNIGHT.	"	ELLA L. DICKERMAN.
"	MABEL HUNT.	No. 9.	FANNIE A. BIRNIE.
"	ELIZABETH R. LEACH	"	KATE J. LYONS.
No. 6.	LUCY E. KEITH.	No. 10.	HARRIET V. STONE.
No. 7.	THE SUPERINTENDENT, <i>ex officio.</i>	Kindergarten.	
"	HELEN L. DRAKE.		NETTIE L. WITHINGTON.
"	MARY A. STONE.		ETHEL H. COPELAND.
"	JANET YOUNG.	Evening School.	
"	ANNIE F. LINCOLN.		EDWARD S. COLTON, JR.

SPECIAL TEACHERS.

J. E. SHEPARDSON, <i>Music.</i>	M. EVA CLEMENTS, <i>Sewing.</i>
JENNIE E. BAILEY, <i>Drawing.</i>	SUSAN P. CHOATE, <i>Sloyd.</i>
ETHEL W. RATSEY, <i>Drawing.</i>	HELEN VEAZIE, <i>Sloyd.</i>
E. S. COLTON, JR., <i>Penmanship.</i>	MARY C. MITCHELL, <i>Cooking.</i>
ETTA F. ANDREWS, <i>Sewing.</i>	FLORENCE L. CARTER, <i>Gymnastics.</i>

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

To the citizens of Easton:

We submit the following report for the year 1899, and call special attention to the detailed report of the Superintendent of Schools.

STATISTICS.

Number of scholars of all ages enrolled in the school	
Registers,	1,135
Number enrolled between the ages of seven and fourteen,	642
Number enrolled over fifteen years of age, . . .	109
Number enrolled under five years of age, . . .	63
Number of children in town, September 1, 1899,	
between the ages of five and fifteen, . . .	912

APPROPRIATIONS.

We request that the following sums be appropriated for the support of the schools in 1900.

For salaries, fuel and cure of buildings,	\$17,000
Repairs,	1,000
Text books, furniture and conveyance of scholars	2,000
Supplies and sundries,	1,000

The repairs recommended in the report of last year have been made, with the exception of the painting of the interior of the High School building.

At the time of writing this report, the number of pupils in attendance at the Evening School is very small and the few who attend with regularity have practically completed the course of study. Under these circumstances your Committee deem it advisable to suspend sessions of that school during the ensuing year; or at least, until a sufficient need or interest in the school will justify the expense of re-opening it.

ROBERT T. CONROY,
Chairman,
HEMAN HOWARD,
Secretary,
LINCOLN S. DRAKE.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

The Superintendent of the Public Schools would submit his report for the year 1899.

It is his ninth report, and the fourteenth in the series of annual reports by the Superintendent of the Public Schools of this town.

THE CORPS OF TEACHERS.

In seventeen of our twenty-three schools there have been no changes in the regular teaching force, and no new teachers were appointed during the year.

The following is the record of transfers and resignations :—

TRANSFERS.

JULIA A. WALSH, from Assistant, in the South Easton Schools, to Principal of South Easton Primary.

ELIZABETH R. LEACH, from half time Assistant in the Union Schools, to Assistant, for full time, in the South Easton Schools.

MARY A. O'CONNELL, from Assistant at No. 2, to Teacher of the School in District No. 3.

These teachers were transferred Sept. 1, 1899.

RESIGNATIONS.

GERTRUDE A. CANEGALY, Principal of South Easton Primary.

ADA E. LEONARD, Teacher of School in District No. 3.

Miss Canegaly taught four years in the schools of North Easton and South Easton. She began as Assistant at No. 7, and succeeded so well that her promotion to the Principalship of the No. 1 Primary soon followed. Her work throughout was distinguished by earnestness and fidelity.

Miss Leonard taught for six years in the schools of Districts Nos. 1 and 3, and achieved a good degree of success.

These teachers resigned June 30, 1899.

In the fall term two special teachers resigned: Miss Choate, teacher of Sloyd, to accept an appointment in the Cambridge High School; and Miss Bailey, teacher of Drawing, to accept an appointment in one of the Grammar schools of Boston.

These teachers were very successful. They brought to their work fine scholarship, and approved methods of instruction and discipline.

ATTENDANCE.

The teachers report a high average of attendance. In a majority of the schools there were no cases of truancy, and only a few cases in any of the schools. This is very gratifying and is due in a large measure to the watchfulness and diligence of our truant officers.

The following table gives a summary of perfect attendance for the past nine years:—

	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899
Number of pupils perfect in attendance every half-day for three terms,	3	14	17	28	11	20	14	31	22
Number of pupils perfect in attendance every half-day for two terms,	22	59	66	62	53	59	40	43	62
Number of pupils perfect in attendance every half-day for one term,	95	155	177	145	137	172	199	159	182
Total number of terms of perfect attendance, 148	315	360	353	276	350	321	338	372	

To obtain these results, the first series was multiplied by three and the second series by two.

PHYSIOLOGY AND SCIENTIFIC TEMPERANCE INSTRUCTION.

The general subject of Physiology is a small segment of the course of study in our schools; and the effects of stimulents and narcotics is a small fractional part of the small segment.

For the first seven or eight years, the instruction should be by oral lessons, and one lesson a week is sufficient for the work in all its parts.

In the lower grades, these oral lessons should not exceed in length twenty minutes. In the upper grades not more than thirty minutes.

In the highest grade of the common schools, and in the lowest class of the High School, Physiology should be thoroughly taught with text-books in the hands of the pupils.

For a proper and adequate treatment of the whole subject, suitable to the grade, four "thirty-minute" lessons a week for a half year would be required in the Grammar school; and four "forty-five minute" lessons for the same number of weeks in the High school.

Advanced work in Physiology should be deferred till the pupils have made an experimental study of Physics and Chemistry.

A more general interest in biological studies will be one of the effectual cures for intemperance.

Any course for the Grammar School, should treat of *bodily exercise* as affecting the organs of respiration and circulation; of *digestion*; of the *secretions*, with emphasis on the need of regular habits as determining the state of health; of *personal hygiene*—including lessons on air and ventilation; warming and lighting; care of skin and bath-

ing; the proper use of clothing and food; and lastly, habits of life. In addition to these topics, High School scholars should have instruction in Climate and Meteorology; soils and building sites; communicable diseases and their prevention; hospitals and vital statistics. While in a technical sense Scientific Temperance Instruction is subordinate to Physiology, yet, in a higher sense, the whole subject of Physiology is subsidiary to Temperance; which is only another word for right living. Temperance instruction, therefore, should go step by step, hand in hand, with the teaching of Physiology. In the Primary grades the lessons should be not for completeness, but to furnish hints, suggestions; to give direction to the moral life. As the children advance to the higher grades, the teaching should become gradually more definite, informing, disciplinary. In upper Grammar and High School grades the work should be, in a measure, original and experimental. Temperance instruction may be reinforced by Rhetorical exercises and lessons on Morals.

In our schools the effects of narcotics are not sufficiently dwelt upon.

The tobacco habit is the most widely diffused evil in our country. Tobacco has its victims everywhere. We can hardly overstate the case against this subtle, insidious, vindictive poison.

The greatest agency for the promotion of Temperance is the *personality* of the teacher in the public school.

No text book, nor scheme of doctrine, nor legislative fiat can so effectively mould the mind and heart of a child as the thoughtful, kind, patient teacher by the impress of his manner, his gifts, his inspiration.

THE DUTIES OF THE SUPERINTENDENT SCHOOLS.

The Superintendent recommends the employment of suitable teachers ; arranges courses of study ; directs methods of instruction ; selects text books ; maintains proper discipline in the schools ; enforces the laws regarding the attendance of children of proper school age ; inspects school houses, supplying them with all needful furniture and apparatus ; sees that buildings are in good repair and provides for their sanitary condition. In addition to these duties, he attends meetings of the School Committee to propose needful legislation ; holds teacher's meetings to secure, if possible, a unity in the quantity and quality of work done in the different grades ; makes frequent visits to the various schools in order that the standard of instruction shall be kept high, that classes may be well equipped with the essential apparatus for the best work, that cases of discipline may be settled.

There are many lesser duties which consume much time ; among these may be mentioned :

1. Making out employment certificates.
2. Arranging the Magazine lists.
3. Recording all bills approved by the Committee.
4. Making a record of expenditures by the Oakes Ames Fund.
5. Keeping a record of attendance of teachers and janitors.
6. Distributing and accounting for tickets for conveyance of scholars.
7. Making up the pay rolls.

Besides all his other work, the Superintendent of the Easton schools is the purchasing agent of the School Board ;

and he is also Principal of the largest school in town, in one department of which he teaches five half days in every week.

With the close of his ninth year of service, on the 30th day of June, 1900, your Superintendent will tender his resignation. He would take this opportunity, therefore, to thank the Board of School Committee for wise counsel and tactful guidance; the Corps of Teachers for zealous and efficient cooperation; and the citizens generally for friendly criticism and a generous support.

CONCLUSION.

In May, 1899, Mrs. Oliver Ames, Senior, presented the High School with a collection of rare and costly Carbon photographs which adorn the walls of the Assembly Room. The school was the recipient, also, of a Grand Piano—the joint gift of Mrs. Ames, members of the school, and the Town.

Attention is invited to the Appendix, which contains financial statements, tabulated statistics and special reports.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD B. MAGLATHLIN.

EASTON, MASS., Jan. 29, 1900.

APPENDIX.

Report of the Supervisor of Music.

MR. E. B. MAGLATHLIN, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS :

Dear Sir,—The introduction of the Natural Course in Music, which was commenced in 1898, will soon be completed in nearly all the schools. The work in most of the schools has been satisfactory and more has been accomplished along the lines of sight reading and voice production than in any previous year. I would suggest that more attention be given to the boys who show very little musical talent. I believe a large majority of such boys, if properly trained and encouraged, would develop musical voices. I make this suggestion because this work must be done by the regular grade teachers, for only by regular daily drill can such voices be developed and brought under control.

The work of the Grammar schools deserves special mention. There are many boys in these schools whose voices are changing and who labor under decided disadvantages, but they are making praiseworthy efforts and later on they will enjoy the fruits of their labors.

The concert given in March by the High School was enjoyed by an appreciative audience and netted quite a sum toward the High School piano. Throughout the whole course of instruction, from the Primary to the High School, it is our endeavor to so direct the pupils that they shall learn to appreciate music of a high order. We feel gratified therefore that the pupils of the High School show a marked enjoyment of the best music. "He who would do a great thing well must first have done the simplest thing perfectly."

Respectfully submitted,

J. E. SHEPARDSON.

Teacher of Music.

Report of the Teacher of the Evening School.

EASTON, MASS., Jan. 1st, 1900.

SUPT. E. B. MAGLATHLIN :

My dear Sir:—In submitting my report of the Evening School for the past year, I will present the summary from the school register for the fall term from Oct. 9, 1899 to Dec. 15, 1899, as follows :

Total Membership, 25.

Average Membership, 17 3-5.

Average Attendance, 11 7-9.

Percent. of Attendance, 86.03.

Ages	Between 5 and 15	Over 15	Total.
Male	4	13	17
Female	1	7	8
	—	—	—
Total	5	20	25

The school was well attended last spring and certificates for proficiency were awarded to the following pupils ;

Blanche O. Rocheleau,	Mary L. Louzon,
Mary J. Kelly,	Walter S. DeWitt,
Edith L. Smith,	Timothy Regan.
Bertha Phillips.	

Many pupils receiving a certificate from the school return the following year, and several students have now been in attendance each of the four years that the school has been open.

Visits have been received from the committee, superintendent and friends of the pupils, and the teacher believes such visits add much to the interest of the pupils, and tend to make the school more popular.

The work of the pupils in this Evening Class cannot be well described in a report of this kind, but the teacher is ready to show the results of the work to any persons who are interested and will visit the school.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD S. COLTON, JR.

MOTTO.

"Honor is the Reward of Labor."

OLIVER AMES HIGH SCHOOL,

Easton, Mass.

GRADUATING EXERCISES OF THE CLASS OF 1899.

Thursday, June 29th, 1899, at 8.00 P. M.

PROGRAM:

SONG,—“The Banner of the Free.”

CLASS.

ESSAY WITH SALUTATORY,—“Literature.”

GERTRUDE F. MURPHY.

SOLO,—“Sweet Land of Dreams,”

ROSE M. BEATTY.

Ashford

RECITATION,—“Death Makes all Men Brothers.”

MARGARET J. FLYNN.

PIANO SOLO,—“Valse de Concert,”

RUTH MITCHELL.

Wieniawski

ORATION WITH VALEDICTORY,—“Problems for the Twentieth Century.”

F. ASHTON PRATT.

BACCALAUREATE ADDRESS.

HON. FRANK E. HILL, Sec. of State Board of Education.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.

ROBERT T. CONROY.

SONG,—“Hark! 'tis the Signal.”

CLASS.

GRADUATES.

Ruly Lillian Barrows,
 Rose Martha Beatty,
 Alice Clare Burns,
 Mary Josephine Carroll,
 Cornelius Patrick Daley,
 Carrie Isabel Driscoll,
 Margaret Josephine Flynn,
 Harry Russell Franklin,
 Frances Larcom Hayward,
 Grace Warren Holbrook,
 Ruth Mitchell,
 Clara Lewis Morse,
 Mary Alice McDermott,
 Gertrude Frances Murphy,
 Frederic Ashton Pratt,
 Catherine Jane Quill,
 Lawrence Joseph Travers.

MOTTO:

"To be, not to seem."

GRADUATION EXERCISES

OF THE

NORTH EASTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL,

Wednesday Evening, June 28th, 1899, at 8 o'clock.

PROGRAM:

PIANO SOLO,		Morning Rondo
	CHRISTIE ANN JENNINGS.	
SALUTATORY AND ESSAY,		Reading
	SYDNEY ABBOTT MAGLATHLIN.	
SONG,		Night
	SCHOOL.	
RÉCITATION,		The Widow's Light
	ALICE GERTRUDE ROCHE.	
SONG,		Star of Evening
	MISSSES DERMODY, RILEY AND SWANSON.	
	MASTER ANDERSON.	
DECLAMATION,		The American Flag
	FRANK DENNIS CALLAGHAN.	
PIANO SOLO,		Valse
	JENNIE DRUSILLA MIDDLETON.	
RECITATION,		Kentucky Belle
	ANNIE WINIFRED PERRY.	
SONG AND CHORUS,		
	SCHOOL.	
ADDRESS,		
	HENRY T. BAILEY, State Superintendent of Art Instruction.	
ESSAY AND VALEDICTORY,		To be, not to seem
	HARRIET SHAW DEWITT.	
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS,		
SONG,		In Happy Dreamland
	CLASS OF '99.	

GRADUATES.

Adolph Emil Anderson,
Herman Elias Anderson,
Frank Dennis Callaghan,
Bessie Marie Canegaly,
Timothy Luke Cotter,
Cornelius Andrew Daley,
Mary Agnes Daley,
Margaret Theresa Dermody,
Harriet Shaw DeWitt,
Florence Veronica Donovan,
Clarence Vincent Galligan,
Mary Elizabeth Galvin,
Clara Bertha Grundberg,
Christie Ann Jennings,
Rosa Cecelia Louzon,
Sydney Abbott Maglathlin,
Elizabeth Agnes McMullin,
Jennie Drusilla Middleton,
Arthur Lewis Molander,
Nora Catherine Murphy,
Hannah Josephine Nagle,
Annie Winifred Perry,
Alice Gertrude Roche,
Ellen Theresa Riley,
Hulda Sophia Swanson,
James Francis Sweeney,
Thomas Edward Travers.

MOTTO:
 "Step by Step."

GRADUATION EXERCISES
 OF THE
 SOUTH EASTON GRAMMAR SCHOOL,

Thursday, June 29th, 1899, at 1.30 P. M.

PROGRAM:

- SONG,—“Freedom,” *Geo. F. Wilson*
 SCHOOL.
 RECITATION,—“The Storming of Stony Point.”
 WILLIAM JAMES DRISCOLL.
 DIALOGUE,—“What’s in a Name?” *M. B. C. Slade*
 SCHOLARS FROM A, B AND C GRAMMAR.
 SOLO,—“The Song of the Roses,”
 LOUISE HOWARD NEWTON.
 RECITATION,—“The King’s Temple,”
 OLIVE MAY HEATH.
 CLASS HISTORY.
 BEULAH MITCHELL.
 SONG,—“The Ladybird,” *Arr. by J. Brahms*
 SCHOOL.
 RECITATION,—“Mother Asia,” *Walter Foss*
 MARION RHODA HURST.
 DIALOGUE,—“Playing School,” *M. B. C. Slade*
 SCHOLARS OF E AND D GRAMMAR.
 ADDRESSES.
 PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.
 SONG,—“The Star of Evening,” *Joseph L. Roekkel*
 SCHOOL.

GRADUATES.

Louise Howard Newton,
 William James Driscoll,
 Jennie Elliott Wade,
 Lizzie Maud Hanson,
 Beulah Mitchell.

MOTTO:

"Higher!"

GRADUATION EXERCISES

OF THE

UNION GRAMMAR SCHOOL,

Thursday, June 29th, 1899, at 3.30 P. M.

PROGRAM:

CHORUS,—Oh, Skylark, for thy Wing.

SCHOOL.

DECLAMATION,—Our Heroes,

John A. Andrew

FRANK L. WILLS.

RECITATION,—The Song in the Trenches.

ANNIE W. MORRIS.

TRIO,—Evening Song,

Abt

THE MISSES MORRIS AND GRANT.

RECITATION,—Hannah, the Quakeress.

SARAH J. MURRAY.

PIANO SOLO,—Second Mazurka,

Godard

FRANK L. WILLS.

RECITATION,—Pluck and Prayer.

ELLEN E. MORRIS.

RECITATION,—The Last Hymn.

MARGARET J. GRANT.

DUET,—Swing Song.

MISSES GRANT AND MORRIS.

DECLAMATION,—Higher!

FREDERICK A. DIAMOND.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.

CHORUS,—Bells of Eve,

Kreutzer

SCHOOL.

GRADUATES:

Frederick Allen Diamond,

Margaret Jane Grant,

Annie Waldron Morris,

Ellen Erwin Morris,

Sarah Jane Murray,

Frank Lawrence Wills.

MOTTO:

"Higher."

GRADUATION EXERCISES

OF THE

EASTONDALE SCHOOL,

Thursday, June 29th 1899, at 2.00 P. M.

PROGRAM:

SONG,	Hail to Thee! Native Land
	SCHOOL.
RECITATION,	New Version of a Man's a Man for a' that
	CHESTER W. FOSTER.
ESSAY,	Character Sketch of Lafayette
	MABEL S. HOWARD.
RECITATION,	Song of the Waters
	TEN PUPILS.
SONG,	Star of Evening
	FIVE GIRLS.
RECITATION,	A Child's Soliloquy
	NETTIE N. ADAMS.
RECITATION,	A Bunch of Flowers
	FOUR GIRLS.
CORNET SOLO,	Selected
	EARLE WILLIS.
RECITATION,	Brief Sketches of Noted Educators
	SIX PUPILS.
PIANO SOLO,	Selection from Tannhauser
	SHIRLEY E. FISHER.
RECITATION,	Lincoln's Kindness
	MARION E. CURRIER.
SONG,	America for Freedom
	SCHOOL.
RECITATION,	An Anecdote by Mark Twain
	ELMER S. ADAMS.

DIALOGUE,

Trusty and True

CHARACTERS:

Mr. Soule, a Merchant,
 Clerks: { John Russell,
 Frank Grey,
 Amasa Drew,

ERNEST T. CURRIER.
 PAUL T. MURPHY.
 HENRY W. WAKELEY.
 J. WILLIAM HOLMES.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.

GRADUATES—Mabel S. Howard, Paul T. Murphy.

GRADUATION EXERCISES
 OF THE
 HOWARD SCHOOL,

Thursday, June 29th, 1899, at 2.30 P. M.

PROGRAM.

VIOLIN SOLO,—Just as the Sun Went Down.

JESSIE MOWATT.

RECITATION,—Nineteenth of April.

OTIS LUNN.

SONG,—Hail to Thee.

SCHOOL.

RECITATION,—Duke Leopold's Stone.

BERTHA SOULE.

RECITATION,—Grasshopper Green.

EMILY HAYWARD.

VIOLIN SOLO,—Mamma's in Heaven.

JESSIE MOWATT.

RECITATION,—Our Two Opinions,

EDWARD AMES.

RECITATION,—The Young Desperado.

AGNES M. SOULE.

SONG,—Columbia, Glorious Nation.

SCHOOL.

RECITATION,—What are the Robins Whispering About?

MARY AMES.

SONG,—Fiddle and I.

SCHOOL.

RECITATION,—Grandmother's Story of Bunker Hill,

ELIZABETH R. PRATT.

SONG,—Star of Evening.

SCHOOL.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.

GRADUATES.

Bertha Lorraine Soule, Elizabeth Rebecca Pratt, Agnes Mildred Soule.

*Field**Holmes*

MOTTO:

"Where Honor Leads."

GRADUATION EXERCISES

OF THE

CENTRE SCHOOL,

Friday, June 30th, 1899, at 1.30 P. M.

PROGRAM:

RECITATION,	A Tale of the Atlantic Coas
	LOUISE F. LEONARD.
RECITATION,	Aunt Doleful's Visit
	GRACE M. PHILLIPS.
SONG,	Freedom
	SCHOOL.
DECLAMATION,	One Touch of Nature
	ARTHUR E. DUNN.
VOCAL SOLO.	
	WINIFRED L. SMITH.
RECITATION,	Papa's Letter
	MARY A. NOLAN.
RECITATION,	Fall of Pemberton Mills
	WINIFRED L. SMITH.
DIALOGUE,	A Slight Misunderstanding
	ARTHUR E. DUNN AND WINIFRED L. SMITH.
SONG,	Meeting and Parting
	CLASS
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.	

GRADUATES.

Louise Elmar Leonard,
 Winifred Louisa Smith,
 Arthur Edward Dunn,
 Grace May Phillips,
 Mary Anne Nolan

MOTTO:

"Forward."

GRADUATION EXERCISES

OF THE

BAY STREET SCHOOL,

Friday, June 30th, 1899, at 3.00 P. M.

PROGRAM:

SONG,		The Bird Carol
	SCHOOL.	
EXERCISE,		When I'm a Man
	MASTERS WHITE, LITTLEFIELD, MANCHESTER, SMITH,	
	GOOCH, GIBBS, HUNT, EARL HUNT.	
EXERCISE,		When I'm a Woman
	MISSSES GOOCH, MADAN, WHITE, MANCHESTER,	
	PHILLIPS, KEITH.	
RECITATION,		Sewing
	MILDRED RANDALL.	
SONG,		The Bird
	MARY KEITH.	
EXERCISE,		New England
	MISSSES GOOCH, MADAN, WHITE, PHILLIPS,	
	KEITH, MANCHESTER.	
RECITATION,		The Diver
	MILDRED ETHELYN GOOCH.	
EXERCISE,		Heroes of Bunker Hill
	SCHOOL.	
DIALOGUE.		
	HARRY DYER AND MILDRED RANDALL.	
SONG,		Fold Away the Little Dresses
	NORA MANCHESTER.	
FLAG EXERCISE.		
	MISSSES PHILLIPS, GOOCH, MANCHESTER.	
RECITATION,		The Bells of Atri
	MAE EMMA PHILLIPS.	

- EXERCISE, Our Flag and Other Flags
 MASTERS DEAN, GIBBS, MANCHESTER, DYER.
 EXERCISE, Why there are no Columbuses
 MASTERS LITTLEFIELD, WHITE, MANCHESTER, SMITH,
 HUNT, GIBBS, GOOCH.
 RECITATION, The Eagle's Rock
 GERTRUDE ESTELLE MADAN.
 A COLONIAL PARTY.
 FOURTEEN PUPILS.
 SONG, A Summer Morning
 SCHOOL.
 ADDRESS.
 MR. HEMAN HOWARD, Sec. School Committee.
 PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.
 MR. E. B. MAGLATHLIN, Supt. of Schools.

GRADUATES.

Mildred Ethelyn Gooch,
 Mae Emma Phillips,
 Gertrude Estelle MaDan.

GRADUATION EXERCISES
OF THE
POQUANTICUT SCHOOL,

Friday, June 30th, 1899, at 2.00 P. M.

PROGRAM:

SONG,		The Violet
	SCHOOL.	
RECITATION,	JOHN CURRIVAN.	Helping Mother
RECITATION,	CHESTER ALLEN.	A Boy's Troubles
RECITATION,	MARY PRATT.	What I Can Do
SONG,	ROSE DELANEY.	Soft and Sweet
RECITATION,	TOMMY CURRIVAN.	Kept After School
RECITATION,	VERNON WILLIS.	Always Glad
MEMORY GEMS.	SCHOOL.	
SONG,	ELVA PRATT.	A Little Bird
DECLAMATION,	THOMAS H. JONES.	The Stowaway
RECITATION,	ETHEL WILLIS.	Prue's Colors
RECITATION,	EARL BUCK.	Which General?
SONG,	SCHOOL.	Bird Carol
RECITATION.	ARTHUR WILLIS.	
LEND A HELPING HAND.	SCHOOL.	
RECITATION,	WILLIAM CARPENTER.	Being a Boy

SONG,		Farmer Boy
	CHESTER ALLEN.	
RECITATION,		A Wonderful Girl
	ELVA PRATT.	
RECITATION,		Saved and Savior
	ROSE DELANEY.	
DIALOGUE,		Vacation
	MASTERS JONES, CARPENTER, WILLIS, BUCK, ALLEN.	
	MISSSES DELANEY, WILLIS.	
RECITATION,		Bamboozling Grandma
	JOHN CURRIVAN.	
RECITATION.		
	LEON WILLIS.	
PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.		
SONG,		Vacation
	SCHOOL.	

 GRADUATE:

Thomas H. Jones.

High School Courses of Instruction.

FIRST YEAR.

<i>Fall Term.</i>	<i>Winter Term.</i>	<i>Spring Term.</i>
1. Latin.	1. Latin.	1. Latin.
2. Business Course.	2. Business Course.	2. Business Course.
3. Algebra.	3. Algebra.	3. Algebra.
4. Physiology.	4. Physiology.	4. Physical Geography.

SECOND YEAR.

<i>Fall Term.</i>	<i>Winter Term.</i>	<i>Spring Term.</i>
1. Latin or Eng. Equivalents.	1. Latin or Eng. Equivalents.	1. Latin or Eng. Equivalents.
2. Rhetorics.	2. Rhetoric.	2. Botany.
3. Geometry.	3. Geometry.	3. Geometry.
4. American Literature.	4. American Literature.	4. English Literature.

THIRD YEAR.

<i>Fall Term.</i>	<i>Winter Term.</i>	<i>Spring Term.</i>
1. Latin or Solid Geometry.	1. Latin or Solid Geometry.	1. Latin or Higher Arithmetic.
2. General History.	2. General History.	2. General History.
3. Physics.	3. Physics.	3. Physics.
4. English Literature.	4. Shakespeare.	4. Civil Government.

FOURTH YEAR.

<i>Fall Term.</i>	<i>Winter Term.</i>	<i>Spring Term.</i>
1. Latin or Higher Algebra.	1. Latin or Higher Algebra.	1. Latin or Trigonometry and Surveying.
2. French.	2. French.	2. French.
3. Chemistry.	3. Chemistry.	3. Psychology.
4. Geology.	4. Astronomy.	4. Political Economy.

Pupils are required to take four subjects each term.

In each course regular lessons are given in Rhetoricals, Music, and Drawing.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

OF THE

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF EASTON, MASS.

I. IN RELATION TO THE TEACHERS.

SECTION 1. Teachers shall in all cases be elected by the Committee.

SEC. 2. Whenever a teacher, in any school, is temporarily absent, the Superintendent may appoint a substitute.

SEC. 3. In June, annually, the Superintendent shall recommend the amount of salary to be paid to each teacher, and the Committee shall then fix the salaries for the year ensuing.

SEC. 4. Teachers shall be present fifteen minutes before the school session begins, and shall observe a strict punctuality in the opening and closing of their schools.

SEC. 5. Whenever teachers are unable to attend to their duties they shall immediately notify the Superintendent.

SEC. 6. Teachers may detain pupils for a reasonable time after the close of a school session for the purpose of discipline or to make up for failures in recitation. All cases of corporal punishment shall be recorded and submitted in a monthly report to the Superintendent.

SEC. 7. For continued and stubborn resistance to authority, a teacher may suspend a scholar and shall report the case to the Superintendent, at the same time giving notice to the parent or guardian.

SEC. 8. For every case of absence, tardiness or dismissal from school before the close of a session, a written excuse may be required of the parent or guardian.

SEC. 9. In any building where there is more than one teacher—or more than one school, the Principal teacher—or the teacher of the highest grade, shall have supervision of the conduct of pupils on the stairs, in the corridors and in the school yard.

II. IN RELATION TO THE PUPILS.

SECTION 1. No child under five years of age shall be admitted to the public schools except by permission of the Superintendent.

SEC. 2. No new classes will be formed in the lowest grade, and no children will be admitted to that grade, except at the commencement of a school term.

SEC. 3. Children whose parents or guardians are non-residents, shall be admitted to the schools only by the consent of the committee.

SEC. 4. Whenever a pupil defaces any part of the school premises, or injures any school property, he shall be liable for all damages.

III. THE SCHOOL CALENDAR.

SECTION 1. The Scholastic Year shall commence on the Tuesday after the first Monday in September. The Fall term shall continue sixteen weeks for the High School and fifteen weeks for all other schools. The Winter term shall commence on the first Monday in January and continue twelve weeks. The Spring term shall commence on the second Monday in April and continue twelve weeks.

SEC. 2. In addition to the legal holidays, the schools may be closed on one day of the Agricultural Fair at Brockton, and on two days in each year for the purpose of allowing teachers to visit schools and to attend educational meetings.

The High School may be closed during the session of the Annual Town Meeting. No school shall be suspended on any other day, except on some sudden emergency, without permission of the committee or Superintendent.

SEC. 3. The morning session of the High School shall continue from 8.45 to 12 o'clock; and the afternoon session from 1.15 to 3 o'clock.

For all other schools the morning session shall begin not later than fifteen minutes past nine o'clock, and the afternoon session shall begin not later than thirty minutes past one o'clock.

The school day shall occupy five hours, exclusive of recesses.

SEC. 4. The time of opening and closing the sessions in any school, shall not be changed, during a term without the approval of the Superintendent.

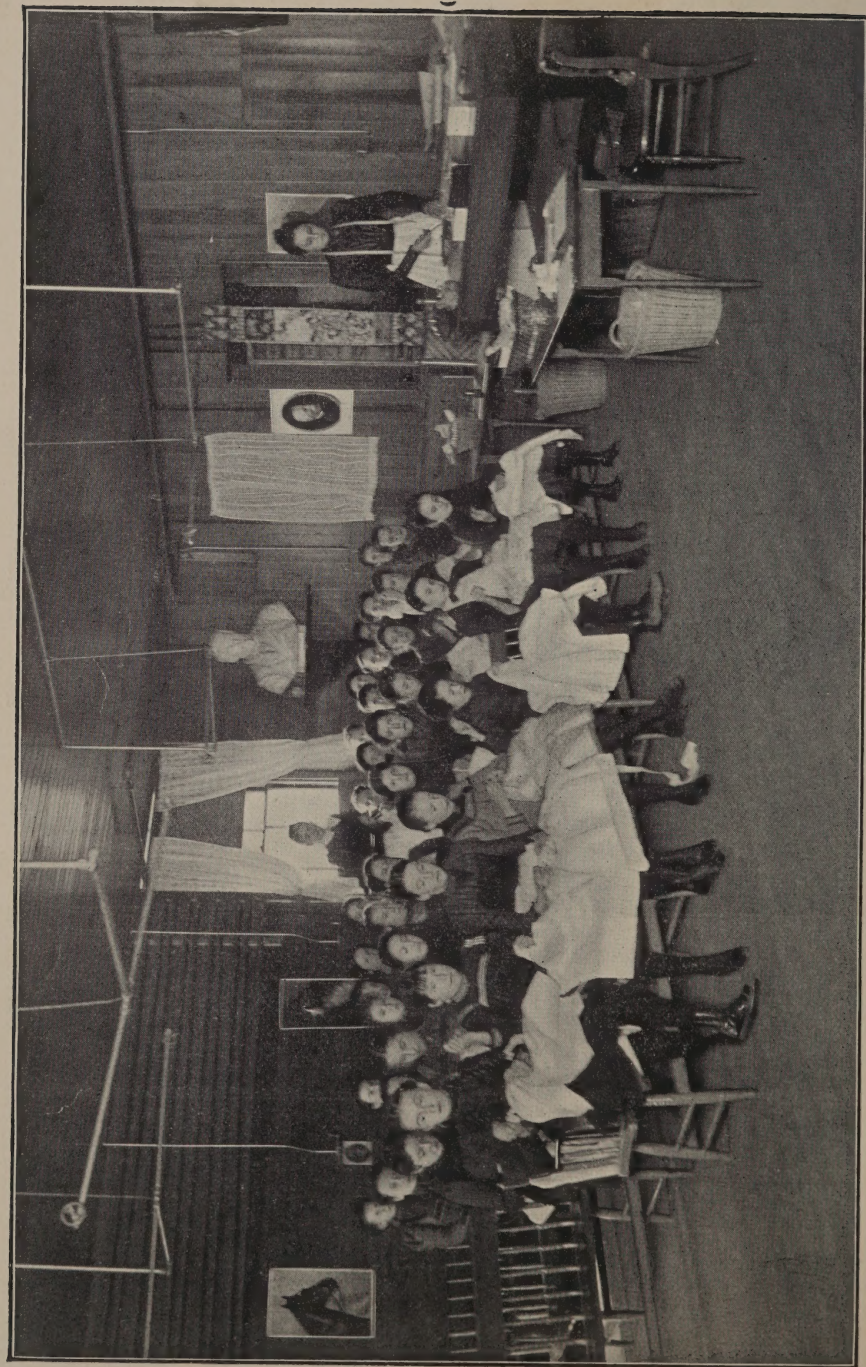
LIST OF FLAG DAYS.

FOR THE

PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF EASTON.

- Jan. 1. Emancipation Day.
 " 8. Jackson's Day.
 " 15. Unionists captured Fort Fisher.
 " 17. Franklin's Birthday.
- Feb. 4. Birthday of Oliver Ames. Born in Easton, 1831.
 Governor of Massachusetts 1887-88-89.
 " 6. Ratification by Mass. of the U. S. Constitution.
 " 12. Lincoln's Birthday.
 " 22. Washington's Birthday.
- March 4. Constitution of the United States went into effect.
 " 12. Grant made Commander of the Union Army.
 " 17. Evacuation of Boston by the British.
 " 31. Perry's treaty with Japan.
- April 2. Jefferson's Birthday.
 " 9. Lee's Surrender.
 " 19. Battle of Lexington.
 " 30. The Louisiana Purchase.
- May 1. Dewey's victory at Manila Bay.
 " 7. Beginning of Sherman's March to the Sea.
 " 24. First Telegraphic message.
 " 30. Memorial Day. (Flag at half mast.)
- June 14. U. S. Flag adopted by Congress.
 " 15. Mass. Constitution adopted. Washington made Commander-in-Chief.
 " 17. Battle of Bunker Hill.
- July 3. Union victory at Gettysburg. Destruction of Spanish fleet at Santiago.
 " 4. The Nation's Birthday.
 " 28. Fourteenth Article of Amendment to the Constitution of the U. S.
- Sept. 5. First Continental Congress.
 " 17. U. S. Constitution adopted.

- Oct. 12. America discovered.
- “ 17. Burgoyne’s Surrender.
- “ 19. Cornwallis’s Surrender.
- “ 21. The launching of “Old Ironsides.”
- Nov. 21. The Compact of the Mayflower.
- “ 25. Evacuation of New York by the British.
- “ 28. The Treaty of Paris ; close of Spanish War.
- “ 30. Treaty of peace ; close of Revolutionary War.
- Dec. 1. Incorporation of Easton.
- “ 16. Boston Tea Party.
- “ 21. Landing of the Pilgrims.
- “ 24. The Treaty of Ghent.



OAKES AMES INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL. SEWING.

Summarized Reports of Special Instruction

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE OAKES AMES BEQUEST.

THE KINDERGARTEN.

Sixty-four children have been registered in the Kindergarten in the last year, and the attendance has been excellent. Over three hundred pieces of work have been done by the children, who are always pleased to do anything they can take home.

In November Capt. George F. F. Wilde, in command of the U. S. S. Oregon, stationed at Manilla, delighted the children by sending each an "Oregon" ribbon, and they have since been much interested in sending some of their work out to him.

At Christmas the usual program was followed, and the children's pleasure in their tree, which was first decorated with their own work to give to their friends, was greatly increased when, after a short absence from the room, they found it again covered, this time with toys, which a kind friend had contributed for their pleasure.

Over sixty visitors were present at the exercises.

INDUSTRIAL DRAWING.

The aim of Art Education is culture through the senses, the purpose of which is to train the eye to see, the hand to express, and the mind to perceive and appreciate.

The goal in education is the complete development of the human being, and without an appeal made to the artistic

nature, this is impossible. The highest in us is our sense of beauty, and so by giving the child this appreciation and power of expression, we give him greater possession of himself. This is what we are striving for in our present course in drawing. The different subjects have been adapted to the school year as follows:—

In the autumn when we return to our studies, the child is taken from the open air, the trees and grass, to the school room, which, instead of being unresponsive, may become alive with new interests here. We are able to bring in small plants and grasses from which we study growth and improvement, and by representation each individual conception is nourished.

With the natural study, color is undertaken and carried on till the subject of pictorial composition is introduced. By the study of color we gain a fuller perception of things seen; and the object of such instruction is: First—The recognition and name of colors; classification of all the tints and shades to the standard colors and the relation of the lines; second—the closer observation and appreciation of the same; third—the seeing of color harmonies in objects and combinations; fourth—the arrangement of the same in harmonies.

The next subject introduced is the appearance of objects, the aim of which is the habit of imagining the shape, and power to express the phenomena. This with the study of pictures and structure follows in the winter months.

In the primary grades such pictures are selected that tell the artist's thought distinctly, and those best adapted to special points under consideration. Later in the Grammar grades the subject of composition is studied in connection with the story. In all cases typical examples are chosen,

together with the works of famous masters.

We have also endeavored to familiarize very young children with the different type forms, by presenting these not only to the eye but to the touch, and in connection with the approximates of the same. The sphere is first taken up because it is the most universal form; the progress from the sphere to the cube is from unity to variety, and in continuous progression to the cylinder, as having the characteristics of both.

These forms are seen in the industrial world and in the world of Art. They constitute a basis of architecture studied under the subject of appearance.

In regard to construction, the children are led to be themselves creators. It has been said that the mind of the child is a treasury. A treasury is not worthy the name unless it gives out of its wealth, as well as it takes in. By leading the child to give out, we lead him to assimilate his knowledge, and, at the same time, help him to form habits of observation, precision and neatness.

The course this year is identical with last, with the addition of more mechanical drawing, studied in connection with structural design in the Grammar grades, while in the High School, simple forms, such as screws, faucets and bolts are studied, simply as an adaptation of the principles of working drawings.

The quota of work required from each town of Massachusetts was sent to the Boston exhibition at Copley Hall, in the spring. The work was thoroughly represented, a sheet from each grade of both Primary and Grammar grades, and the three different classes in the High School. Since it was returned it has been on exhibition at the High School drawing room.

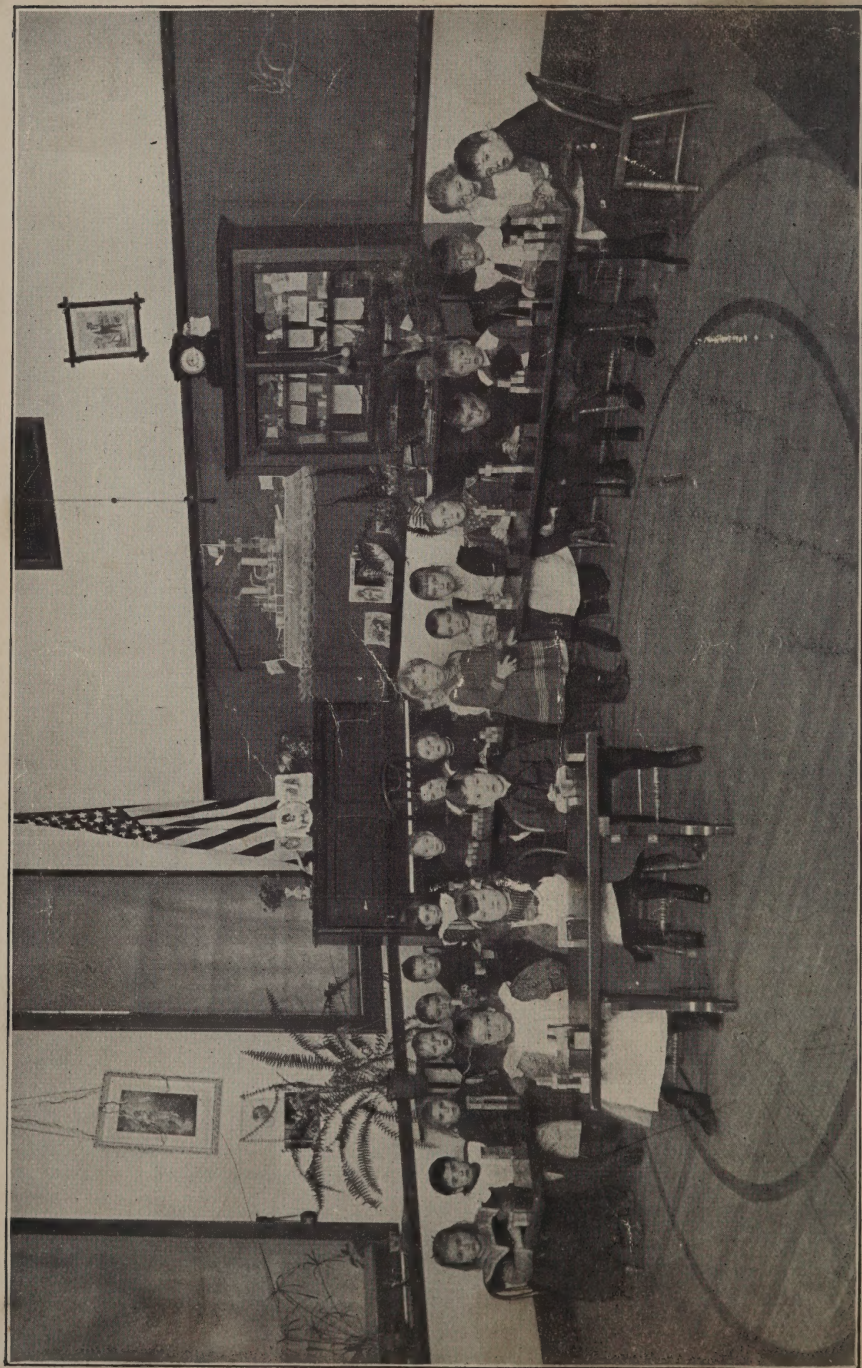
PENMANSHIP.

The penmanship work for the past year has shown a marked advance in all grades, and the pupils of the High School have developed much skill in pen and blackboard work. The usual display at the June exhibition contained many evidences of close application on the part of the pupils, and the Supervisor of Penmanship states that the advancement and rapid development is due to the earnest efforts and adherence to his directions on the part of the teachers in the various grades, to them the pupils owe much for their improvement in pen work. The special teacher is ready at all times to help the pupil over hard places in the work, and it is his wish that pupils would consult and confide more in their teachers when the work seems barren of results.

In the High School the commercial work has been enlarged and the pupils will have every opportunity to become familiar with commercial paper, of which they have learned in their study of bookkeeping and commercial law, and which are in common use in offices of wholesale, insurance, real estate, commission, and freight houses, also among National Banks.

A complete outfit of books and stationery for the above named offices has been purchased, and the pupils will be given an opportunity to become familiar with the customs and business usages in actual commercial life.

It is hoped that school officials and parents will be sufficiently interested to visit the class to observe the work; and it is suggested that more time be devoted to this branch than in past years.



OAKES AMES INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL. KINDERGARTEN.

THE SEWING SCHOOL.

Two hundred and twenty-six girls have received instruction in sewing.

The following is the list of articles made in 1899 :—

One hundred and forty towels, 31 napkins, 4 table cloths, 19 roller towels, 46 handkerchiefs, 122 pillow slips, 40 pairs of drawers, 84 large aprons, 56 small aprons, 1 cooking apron, 2 sack aprons, 45 bags, 19 flannel skirts, 6 cotton skirts, 3 sack nightdresses, 2 yoke nightdresses, 1 corset waist, 1 dress skirt, 2 embroidered tidies, 1 hemstitched tidy, 15 button holes, 1 cushion cover, 215 yards of hemming, 25 yards of overseaming, 13 yards of stitching.

PHYSICAL TRAINING.

Though the services of a special teacher of this work was discontinued, yet the regular teachers have conducted the exercises using for a guide the “Progressive Orders” of the Ling system.

SLOYD.

The Sloyd work of the past year, done by the different classes, is of a varied character.

The E Grammar, which entered upon the work Sept. 1899, has had comparatively few lessons, as it alternates with the D Grammar and has only one lesson in two weeks. However, the members of this class are making considerable progress on account of their activity and eagerness in the work.

According to the present outlook, at the end of the year,

they will have completed most of the models, which belong to a year's course for children working two hours each week.

The D Grammar, which is a trifle more capable than the E, on account of its experience of last year, is acquiring some independence of thought and action. We find the work of both these classes of rather a crude character, and it would hardly be right for us to expect it to be otherwise. Nevertheless *some* of these boys have turned out some remarkably good pieces.

The C Grammar is a promising class. The boys have shown much interest and energy in the work. They have been well disposed, and with a few exceptions, their conduct has been commendable. Having had two years' experience, they are now prepared to do work of a much higher character.

The small tool-rack has been a valuable model in training these boys to use the back saw, the importance of which cannot be overestimated.

With some exceptions the members of the B Grammar are doing excellent work. Many of them have already completed the first model of the course prepared for the ninth grade. Not only is the amount of work commendable, but its character shows carefulness and good judgment on the part of the worker.

The hatchet handle, which these boys have made, calls for the careful study of curves.

Most of the members of the A Grammar are thoughtful, intelligent pupils, and some of them have made good progress. On account of absence on the part of some, and inexperience on the part of others, many of the boys belonging to this class have completed but few pieces.

There seems to be greater and more enduring interest

when all the members of one class are working upon one model at the same time, and receive class instruction to a great extent.

This can be brought about by giving the more rapid workers extra pieces, which they can make without much assistance.

The A and B classes are about to start in this manner upon a new course, consisting of a few attractive pieces.

The towel roller is one of the most difficult pieces which has been made. The plan of this, being quite complicated, calls for just that thoughtful study, which is so much needed in reading plans. A cutting board, which is made by joining two kinds of wood of contrasting colors, has been a good model for testing the boys' ability to do careful planing.

The whole number of pupils for the past year is one hundred and forty-seven, the number of models completed eight hundred and seventy-four.

THE SCHOOL KITCHEN.

The work in the school kitchen has been carried on in much the same manner as in previous years. The aim of the work being to instill into the minds of the pupils, ideas of neatness, economy and usefulness, and to train the hands in carrying out the ideas. To help them to see that their first duty lies at home and to develop a love for the humble duties of the household, too often held in ignominy; to make them home-lovers and home-makers.

No set rules for discipline are enforced in the kitchen, and the freedom allowed, adds not a little to the enjoyment of the work. The pupils have been found willing and eager

to help each other, and in no branch of school work is there a greater opportunity for a spirit of unselfishness to be fostered and encouraged.

The proper serving of food has received special attention.

An innovation this year, has been the making of laundry soap for use in the school kitchen.

The attendance has been excellent. The number registered this year was fifty-one, boys and girls inclusive. The boys have made a good showing in the work and have evinced a deep interest.

The ninth year of the school kitchen has been marked by enthusiastic work and excellent results.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

Appropriation for salaries of Superintendent and teachers,	\$14,300 00
Appropriation for fuel,	1,100 00
“ “ care of school houses,	1,650 00
“ “ supplies and sundries,	1,000 00
“ “ repairs,	1,000 00
“ “ furniture,	400 00
“ “ text books,	800 00
“ “ transportation,	1,000 00
“ “ Evening School,	300 00
Income from Oliver Ames fund,	3,011 23
Received from State for tuition,	343 50
“ “ Stoughton,	20 00
“ “ Sharon,	13 00
“ “ Mrs. Oliver Ames Sr.,	25 00
Moiety of dog tax,	753 97
Total amount available for all purposes, for the year 1899,	\$25,716 70

EXPENDITURES.

SALARIES.

Mr. Lamprey,	\$1,500 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$1,500 00

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$1,500 00
Miss Winchester,	650 00
" Fairchild,	650 00
" Marshall,	450 00
" C. A. Keith,	450 00
Mr. Maglathlin,	1,300 00
Miss H. L. Drake,	550 00
" M. A. Stone,	550 00
" Young,	500 00
" Lincoln,	420 00
" Reynolds,	500 00
" Morse,	610 00
" Higginbottom,	450 00
" King,	450 00
" Reardon,	500 00
" C. A. Drake,	450 00
Mr. Shepardson,	260 00
Miss Canegaly,	240 00
" Walsh,	327 00
" E. R. Leach,	201 00
" Cavanaugh,	429 00
" O'Connell,	303 00
" Leonard,	192 00
" Knight,	390 00
" Hunt,	273 00
" L. E. Keith,	273 00
" E. A. Leach,	351 00
" Conley,	312 00
" Clark,	327 00
" Murphy,	312 00
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$14,170 00

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$14,170 00
Miss Bird,	288 00
“ C. T. Drake,	288 00
“ Dickerman,	390 00
“ Birnie,	390 00
“ Lyons,	273 00
“ Stone,	390 00
Oakes Ames Fund, $\frac{1}{4}$ salary, Mr. Colton,	162 50
“ “ “ $\frac{1}{4}$ salary, Misses Bailey and Ratsey,	50 00
	\$16,401 50

FUEL.

George Howard, wood,	\$12 00
D. S. Buck, “	8 25
W. N. Soule, “	75
H. D. Buck, “	27 50
George Leighton, “	2 25
H. W. Willis, “	4 75
A. W. Willis, “	6 50
John Ervin, Jr., “	10 50
Charles H. Manchester, wood,	3 25
B. O. Boberg, “	2 25
Nathan Randall, “	27 00
F. C. Pratt, “	7 50
J. C. Goward, coal,	236 41
J. O. Dean & Co., “	261 71
	\$610 62

CARE OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Oliver Ames High School,	\$560 22
No. 1,	109 65
No. 2,	25 50
No. 3,	28 75
Union,	109 00
No. 6,	28 85
No. 7,	665 30
No. 8,	105 50
No. 9,	38 70
No. 10,	47 75
Bills approved by Committee in 1898 and paid in 1899,	3 00
	\$1,722 22

SUPPLIES AND SUNDRIES.

L. H. Smith, repairs on clocks,	\$30 15
Oliver Ames & Sons, supplies,	68 03
Samuel Ward Co., stationery,	174 47
Robinson's Express,	28 08
N. L. Stebbins, art plate,	6 00
Robert S. Robson, title stamps,	1 60
Edw. E. Babb & Co., stationery,	76 31
A. Mudge & Sons, order blanks,	3 50
L. E. Knott App. Co., tubes and plates,	5 30
Jordan, Marsh & Co., toweling,	22 82
G. S. Perry & Co., stationery, mats and blackboards,	184 87
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$601 13

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$601 13
J. L. Hammett Co., stationery and maps,	112 45
Gilbert & Barker, gasoline,	9 81
F. G. Keith, ventilators and small supplies,	13 49
Easton Bulletin, printing,	60 00
E. L. French, express,	2 30
Ginn & Co., music sheets,	1 70
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., picture for literature class, High School,	85
Oliver Ditson Co., music sheets	2 11
Silver, Burdett & Co., music sheets,	7 56
Superintendent, postage, telegrams, car fares, supplies,	64 95
Howard & Keith, disinfectants,	6 65
Lamprell & Marble, repairing flags,	2 35
Bernard Saxton, frames,	3 00
Edw. S. Colton, small supplies,	4 30
W. W. Hayward, tuning organs,	3 00
C. Hopkins, express,	75
F. A. Pratt, printing,	75
Walworth Mfg. Co., grates,	1 08
Swift Bros., small supplies,	2 05
J. M. Howard, small supplies,	4 45
Mason & Hamlin Co., piano cover,	5 00
L. Bonney, window shades,	7 75
H. Y. Mitchell, small supplies,	7 55
J. J. McCarthy, carting,	18 00
N. Y. & Boston Despatch Express Co.,	32 40
E. L. Kellogg, pedagogical magazine,	1 00
G. G. Withington, chemicals,	1 09

Amount carried forward,

\$977 52

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$977 52
M. C. Lamprey, apparatus,	54
O. Ames & Sons, scoops,	1 00
N. E. Water Works,	248 57
Bills approved in 1898 and paid in 1899,	11 00
	\$1,238 63

REPAIRS.

E. W. Foster, small repairs, No. 2,	\$7 50
David S. Carpenter, small repairs, No. 6,	1 75
Robert McKean, small repairs, Union,	7 15
J. W. Baldwin, Nos. 6, 8, 10,	18 26
L. Bonney, general repairs,	31 62
Walworth M'fg Co., No. 7,	8 18
Andrew M. Lee, painting Nos. 1, 10 and Union,	40 00
A. B. Anderson, stone work, No. 9,	50 00
C. L. Mitchell, contract, No. 9,	677 75
John Baldwin, painting High, Nos. 1 and 8,	22 90
E. E. Kelley, heating apparatus, High school,	135 09
E. E. Kelley, general repairs,	40 12
	\$1,040 32

FURNITURE.

Mason & Hamlin Co., retail piano,	\$329 90
G. S. Perry & Co., desks and seats,	40 70
	\$370 60

TEXT BOOKS.

Rand, McNally & Co., geography,	\$10 00
University Publishing Co., readers and dictionaries,	12 12
Silver, Burdett & Co., history, music, readers,	61 30
The Morse Co., spellers, sup. readers,	27 83
Ginn & Co., readers, music, classics,	104 96
D. C. Heath & Co., mathematics and language,	13 71
American Book Co., music, language, geography, classics,	219 95
Allyn & Bacon, French, Latin, English,	23 83
William Ware & Co., history, dictionaries, arith- metic,	36 25
Educational Publishing Co., sup. readers,	8 75
T. R. Shewell & Co., penmanship,	5 28
Thompson, Brown & Co., mathematics,	32 00
Lee & Shepard, sup. readers,	3 74
M. R. Warren Co., memorandum books,	1 00
Lothrop Publishing Co., readers	8 40
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., literature,	17 85
Sibley & Ducker, literature,	11 67
Brockton Book Bindery, old books repaired,	20 18
E. E. Babb & Co., history, geography, reading,	76 89
F. S. Blanchard, Year Book of Massachusetts,	3 00
Boston School Supply Co., readers and physics,	4 50
J. L. Hammett Co., composition blanks,	7 00
New England Publishing Co., arithmetic,	2 50
	\$712 71

TRANSPORTATION.

H. E. Phillips,	\$147 60
E. N. Fisher,	645 60
J. J. McCarthy,	77 00
A. E. Bennett,	21 50
Timothy O'Leary,	14 20
Mansfield & Easton R. R. Co.,	50 00
Norton & Taunton R. R. Co.,	50 00
Brockton Street R. R. C.,	10 00
C. R. Packard,	12 50
Alice McDermott,	4 40
N. M. Carr,	6 00
J. D. Bennett,	7 00
M. C. Gooch,	7 40
N. M. Phillips,	50
T. H. Jones,	7 30
H. R. Gooch,	7 30
C. M. Fish,	6 10
	\$1,074 40

EVENING SCHOOL.

E. S. Colton, Jr., teaching,	\$177 00
Gilbert & Barker, gasolene,	10 43
	\$187 43

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts from all sources,	\$25,716 70
<i>Amount carried forward,</i>	\$25,716 70

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>		\$25,716 70
Paid for salaries,	\$16,401 50	
“ “ fuel,	610 62	
“ “ care,	1,722 22	
“ “ supplies,	1,238 63	
“ “ repairs,	1,040 32	
“ “ furniture,	370 60	
“ “ text books,	712 71	
“ “ transportation,	1,074 40	
“ “ evening school,	187 43	
Total expenditures to Dec. 31, 1899,		\$23,358 43
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1900,		\$2,358 27

THE OAKES AMES BEQUEST.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from Report, 1898,	\$1,784 92
Interest on balance, at $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.,	80 32
Dividends,	3,500 00
	\$5,365 24

EXPENDITURES.

Magazines,	\$437 45
Salary of Teacher of Penmanship,	650 00
Salary of Teacher of Drawing,	200 00
Salary of Teacher of Sloyd,	442 95
Salary of Principal Teacher of Sewing,	234 00
Salary of Assistant Teacher of Sewing,	156 00

Amount carried forward, \$2,120 40

<i>Amount brought forward,</i>	\$2,120 40
Salary of Teacher of Cooking,	156 00
Salary of Principal of Kindergarten,	400 00
Salary of Assistant of Kindergarten,	195 00
Extra compensation of No. 7 Teachers,	500 00
Janitors' fees,	39 00
Supplies,	373 96
	\$3,784 36
Received,	\$5,365 24
Expended,	3,784 36
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1900,	\$1,580 88
Due from Town of Easton on account of Pen- manship and Drawing for year 1899,	\$212 50
Gift of Magazines to Scholars outside of District No. 7, by Messrs. W. H. and Oakes Ames,	
Youth's Companion,	\$153 75
St. Nicholas,	58 00
Our Little Folks,	28 80
	\$240 55

ABSTRACTS OF SCHOOL REGISTERS FOR THE YEAR 1898-9.

SCHOOL TERMS.	Whole Number.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Per cent. of Attendance.
High.....Fall	101	92.7	87.1	93.8
Winter..	92	87.7	80.5	91.3
Spring..	88	85.9	80.1	93.1
No. 1 Grammar.....Fall.....	39	38	36.7	96.5
Winter..	38	36	32.5	90.2
Spring..	38	35.8	34	94.9
No. 1 Primary.....Fall	43	36.6	34	92.7
Winter..	34	32.7	27.8	84.6
Spring..	42	39.9	37.2	92.6
No. 2 Ungraded.....Fall	49	40	38	95
Winter..	43	38	35	90.6
Spring..	44	39	37	95
No. 3 Ungraded.....Fall	24	23.5	22.2	94.3
Winter..	24	23	19.6	85.5
Spring..	24	21.4	20.1	94.1
Union Grammar.....Fall	33	32.4	29.3	91
Winter..	34	33	29.7	90
Spring..	33	31.7	28.2	91
Union Primary.....Fall	54	50.1	48	95.7
Winter..	54	50.9	45.4	89.2
Spring..	58	54.7	52.3	95.7
No. 6 Ungraded.....Fall	19	15.2	13.7	90
Winter..	14	13.5	10.5	77.7
Spring..	13	12.5	11.6	92.8
No. 7 all grades.....Fall	541	479.6	454.4	94.7
Winter..	518	470.2	433	92
Spring..	558	513.3	485.1	94.5
No. 8 Grammar.....Fall	27	24.9	23.1	93
Winter..	27	24.4	23.2	92
Spring..	26	25.1	23.9	95
No. 8 Primary.....Fall	25	23	21	90.2
Winter..	27	23.5	21	87.7
Spring..	32	29.5	28	94
No. 9 Ungraded.....Fall	50	48.2	44.7	92.6
Winter..	49	45.9	44.1	95
Spring..	59	46.6	44.4	95
No. 10 Ungraded.....Fall.....	25	24.1	22.6	93
Winter..	26	24.4	22.8	93
Spring..	27	24.5	23.9	97
Evening SchoolFall.....	27	20	18	90
Winter..	17	13	11	85
Spring..	13	11	10	91

TABLE FOR NO. 7.

SCHOOL TERMS.	Whole Number.	Average Membership.	Average Attendance.	Per cent. of Attendance.
A Grammar:				
Fall.....	31	27	26	96
Winter.....	31	28	27	96
Spring.....	31	28	26	93
B Grammar:				
Fall.....	42	36	34	94.5
Winter.....	42	37	36	97
Spring.....	42	33	32	98
C Grammar:				
Fall.....	51	42.3	39.9	94
Winter.....	48	45	42.5	94
Spring.....	46	44.5	41.8	93
D Grammar:				
Fall.....	56	49.2	44.4	90.2
Winter.....	54	52.5	45.5	86.8
Spring.....	51	48.5	43.4	89.4
E Grammar:				
Fall.....	58	54.5	50.5	92
Winter.....	53	51.6	48	93
Spring.....	55	54.6	51.6	94
F Grammar:				
Fall.....	56	51.2	48.5	94.7
Winter.....	53	50	46.6	93
Spring.....	50	52.3	50	95.6
A Primary:				
Fall.....	64	60	58	96
Winter.....	62	57.7	52.5	91
Spring.....	63	60	58	95
B Primary:				
Fall.....	61	57	53	93
Winter.....	63	55.7	50.4	90
Spring.....	64	56.9	54.7	96
C Primary:				
Fall.....	28	25	23.8	95
Winter.....	27	24	22.1	92
Spring.....	40	37.5	35.9	95
D Primary:				
Fall.....	56	49.8	47.2	94.5
Winter.....	54	48.2	42.9	89
Spring.....	69	64	60.7	94.6
Kindergarten:				
Fall.....	38	32.6	29.1	88.5
Winter.....	31	20.5	18	87.8
Spring.....	41	34	31	91.2

NAMES OF PUPILS PRESENT EVERY HALF DAY
FOR ONE TERM.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Sadie E. Britton,	Earl Keith,
Catherine A. Carroll,	Kenneth Mitchell,
Cornelius P. Daley,	John E. Newcomb,
James Ervin,	Laura S. Newcomb,
Ruth Gilmore,	Nellie Slattery,
W. Alden Hall,	Bertha L. Swift,
Florence L. Howard,	Mary E. Swift.

SOUTH EASTON, GRAMMAR.

Mildred S. Dean,	William L. Johnson,
P. Franklin Dean,	M. Vernetta Lydston,
William J. Driscoll,	Lena G. Oliver,
Malcolm J. Hill,	Helen G. Sackett,
Frank C. Johnson,	Ruth H. Simpson.

SOUTH EASTON, PRIMARY.

Mary Benson,	Florence Randall,
Annie S. Hurst,	Wilfred Randall,
Elizabeth Johnson,	Willie Sherman,
	Guy Wilson.

EASTONDALE SCHOOL.

George Cullen,	Emma L. Howard,
Ernest Dale,	Mabel S. Howard,
	George F. Leighton.

SOUTH END SCHOOL.

Carleton Hayward,	Otis Lunn,
Kenneth Lunn,	Agnes Soule.

EASTON FURNACE, GRAMMAR.

Amelia Barney,	Margaret Grant,
Mary Barney,	Kate Hedderig,
Frank Geddes,	Bennie Wallace,
Rutherford Ghen,	John Welch,
	Marion Wills.

EASTON FURNACE, PRIMARY.

Margie Ells,	Helen King,
Russell Erving,	Charles Rollins,
Winifred Gardner,	Avery Trow,
Ruth Geddes,	Peter Welch.

NORTH EASTON, A GRAMMAR.

Adolph E. Anderson,	Hannah J. Nagle,
Herman E. Anderson,	Hilda S. Swanson,
Florence V. Donovan,	James F. Sweeney.

NORTH EASTON, B GRAMMAR.

William J. Callahan,	Maggie A. Kelleher,
Michael F. Desmond,	John O'Connell,
James J. Kent,	Earl O. Wells.

NORTH EASTON, C GRAMMAR.

Arthur Anderson,	Mary E. Maliff,
Nellie Dromey,	Annie A. McDavitt,
Vernon C. King,	William McFarland,
Daniel F. Linnehan,	Jeremiah O'Connor.

NORTH EASTON, D GRAMMAR.

Dennis Carroll,	Dorris King,
Jennie David,	William Nagle,
Henry Harvey,	Sadie Savary,
	Hannah Sullivan.

NORTH EASTON, E GRAMMAR.

Frank Anderson,	George Middleton,
Letitia Ebbs,	Beulah Niklason,
Monica Long,	Catherine Riley.

NORTH EASTON, F GRAMMAR.

Joseph Anderson,	Edward McKenna,
George E. Bailey,	Mary Malloy,

May Carr,
John Desmond,
Ida Lundgren,

Jeremiah Reardon,
Beirnie Spillane,
Alfred Swanson,

NORTH EASTON, A PRIMARY.

Albin N. Anderson,
Mary Callahan,
Edward J. Ebbs,
Hilma M. Holm,
Ellen Holmes,
Winthrop M. Jones,

Annie J. Kelly,
Elvira R. Lawson,
Esther W. Lundgrin,
Mary E. Lundgrin,
Florence A. Lunn,
George D. McEvoy,
Roland F. Rohdin.

NORTH EASTON, B PRIMARY.

George Anderson,
Albert Dwyer,
Andrew Harvey,
Theresa Kelly,
Richard Maliffe,

Alfred Molander,
Alice Scrivens,
Frank Sundling
Rena Sylvester,,
Chester Styren.

NORTH EASTON, C PRIMARY.

Mary Burke,
Anna Eak,
John Holmes,

Signe Johnson,
Mildred Spooner,
Julia Welch,
Florence Williams.

NORTH EASTON, D PRIMARY.

Clarence Anderson,	Anna F. Holmes,
Katherine M. Buckley,	Catherine Maliff,
Alfred Dahlin,	Abbie Nystrom,
James Desmond,	John Pomeroy,
Joseph Derby,	Violet C. Rohdin,
Mary A. Downey,	Byron E. Spooner,
Almansard J. Duchesneau,	Dorothy Sylvester,
	Viola Widell.

NORTH EASTON, KINDERGARTEN.

Mary Healey,	Willie Schindler,
Ruth Lundgrin,	Franklin Spillane,
	Gertrude Spooner.

UNIONVILLE, GRAMMAR.

Helen Baldwin,	Ruth Carr,
Helen Marshall,	Maude Rice,
Helen Carr,	Gladys Wells.

UNIONVILLE, PRIMARY.

Lucy F. Marshall,	Hattie B. Wade,
Jeannette K. Marshall,	Harry C. Wells.

EASTON CENTRE SCHOOL.

Herman F. Clark,	Bessie F. Leonard,
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Bertha E. Coldwell,	Louise E. Leonard,
Mary Furlong,	Albert Moore,
William M. Furlong,	Elizabeth Moran,
Edith M. Harvey,	Bernard Nolan,
	Mary Nolan.

BAY STREET SCHOOL,

Hattie Gibbs,	Gertrude E. MaDan,
Earl W. Hunt,	Clifford Manchester,
Harold Hunt,	Nora M. Manchester,
Mary A. Keith,	Della White,
Florence P. MaDan,	Fred F. White.

NAMES OF PUPILS PRESENT EVERY HALF DAY FOR TWO TERMS.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Winifred B. Cunningham,	Mary J. Schindler,
Catherine J. Quill,	Nellie Slattery,
	Harold S. Thayer.

SOUTH EASTON GRAMMAR.

Abbie Benson,	Henry A. Hanson,
M. Rhoda Hurst,	Olive M. Heath,
	Louise H. Newton.

SOUTH EASTON PRIMARY.

Willie Oliver.

EASTONDALE SCHOOL.

Charles O. Dale,
J. Leon Harmond,

Minnie F. Harmond,
Henry W. Wakeley.

SOUTH END SCHOOL.

Wilmarth Soule.

EASTON FURNACE, PRIMARY.

Reginald Beale,
Maggie Erving,

Blanche Harvey,
Harry Newcomb.

NORTH EASTON, A GRAMMAR.

Harriet S. DeWitt,
Christie A. Jennings,
Rosa C. Louzon,

Jennie D. Middleton,
Arthur L. Molander,
Nora C. Murphy.

NORTH EASTON, B GRAMMAR.

Nellie J. Clark,
Fred G. Dana,

Mary C. Nagle,
Helen Robinson,
Ralph C. Williams.

NORTH EASTON, C GRAMMAR.

David Middleton,	Margaret Riley.
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NORTH EASTON, D GRAMMAR.

Catherine Dailey.

NORTH EASTON, E GRAMMAR.

Maude Cook,	Annie Derby,
Mary O'Connell,	Isabella Hayes,
	Mary Galvin.

NORTH EASTON, F GRAMMAR.

Ernest Borg,	Pearl Leighton,
Cornelius Desmond,	Frank Maliff,
Joseph Downey,	Fred Maliff.

NORTH EASTON, A PRIMARY.

Samuel Derby,	Theresa A. Schindler,
Chester Eliason,	Irene B. White.

NORTH EASTON, B PRIMARY.

Harry Anderson,	Lewis Howard.
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NORTH EASTON, C PRIMARY.

Oma Duchesneau,	Laura Louzon,
	Edward McNamara.

UNIONVILLE, GRAMMAR.

Bessie M. Dewyer.

EASTON CENTER SCHOOL.

Mary A. Brophy,
Alton L. Coldwell,

Ellen Washburn,
Florence Washburn.

BAY STREET SCHOOL.

Mildred E. Gooch,

Roy F. Gooch,
Bertha M. Swift.

NAMES OF PUPILS PRESENT EVERY HALF DAY
FOR THE WHOLE YEAR.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Elmer L. Randall.

SOUTH EASTON, GRAMMAR.

Annie M. Beattie,

Beulah Mitchell,
Horace H. Mitchell.

EASTONDALE SCHOOL.

William Strahn.

EASTON FURNACE, GRAMMAR.

Fred Beale,	Bertha Harvey,
	George Newcomb.

NORTH EASTON, B GRAMMAR.

Leo M. Harlow,	Mary Higginbottom,
Patrick E. O'Connor,	Annie Robinson.

NORTH EASTON, C GRAMMAR.

Marie M. Harlow.

NORTH EASTON, D GRAMMAR.

Josephine Louzon.

NORTH EASTON, E GRAMMAR.

Alice Slattery.

NORTH EASTON, F GRAMMAR.

Carl W. Maglathlin,	Josephine H. Middleton,
	Jessie N. Niklason.

NORTH EASTON, A PRIMARY.

Anna Duchesneau,	John M. Harlow.
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NORTH EASTON, B PRIMARY.

Mary Linnehan.

NORTH EASTON, D PRIMARY.

Rena W. Carr.